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Weather

Overcast, hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 92.1 and the minimum 75.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 89.1 and 76.5.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Pierce, Sept. 2.
FROM U. S. and Europe, ex Pres. Lincoln, Sept. 2.
FOR Europe via Suez, ex. Paul Lecat, 10 a.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, ex. Amboise, Sept. 2.

How Hongkong Is Handling Housing

Big Companies Being Formed. Four Storey Buildings, Flats That Pay At $20

THE housing problem in Hongkong is as acute today as it was three or four years ago, and a perusal of the papers of that Colony leads observers to think that it will be sometime before the evil is actually remedied. It must be remembered that Hongkong is restricted in area, and however much land might have been developed in the past it has not been commensurate with the rapid influx of immigrants from Canton, who have been compelled by the disorder in that part of the country to find a haven of refuge in Hongkong.

The result has been none too enviable for the regular residents of that Colony. They have been slowly pushed out of their homes by these Chinese who have come along with ready cash and bought up blocks of buildings and either ejected their tenants or pushed up the rents skyhigh.

The Hongkong Government tried to remedy this by bringing into operation the Rents Restriction Bill which although it was intended to be a temporary measure yet has had to be renewed for the simple reason that it seems to serve a very useful purpose and to a great extent prevents rent-racking which was such a prominent evil before the measure came into force. With all enactments, as it is often admitted, a coach and four could be driven through them, and such attempts have been made in this respect, but the Government of Hongkong have from time to time tried to rectify the flaws that experience and the working of the Ordinance showed to be in existence.

In spite of all this, we have the fact that rents in that Colony are still soaring, and the number of houses in the course of, or marked down for, demolition is steadily on the increase. It is estimated that within the next three months two to three hundred houses are to be pulled down. Conditions therefore would appear to be going from bad to worse in the Southern Colony.

It must be admitted that the Hongkong Government is making a laudable effort to arrive at some solution of this housing problem, and a few attempts to entice the small man to build his own home have been made. The most recent plan is to grant sites on forty years' free lease for the building of houses to applicants. It will be interesting to see what effect this new scheme will have upon the property market in Hongkong. It is well-known that there has been in the last year indiscriminate gambling in landed properties there. This has been to a large extent encouraged by the Chinese bankers who have come forward and assisted gamblers in making their purchases. The immediate effect of this scheme might probably be little on the prices of properties purchased on spec, but we imagine that the ultimate result will be for a slump in prices.

Several hundred houses are required in Hongkong and many and various are the schemes for helping to build them. For instance, a new Hongkong land company has been formed with a capital of ten million dollars Mexican. It is to be known as the Hongkong Development Building and Savings Society, Limited, and it is to make a definite and whole-hearted attempt to solve the housing problem for the residents of the Land of the Fragrant Streams. It hopes to build and sell its houses on equitable terms and is concerned in meeting the housing difficulty of all sections of the community.

Wrapped up in the scheme is the establishment of an Industrial Home, and the experiment will no doubt be watched with keen interest especially as Shanghai had not long ago its own housing difficulty. A perusal of the aims of this company serves to show that the small investor is principally sought. One of the objects of the society is "to assist people of limited means by advancing money for the purpose of buying and developing land

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Gov. Of Minnesota Is Seriously Ill

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

St. Paul, Minn. August 30.—Governor Jacob Preuss of Minnesota is seriously ill. His condition has become so much worse within the last few hours that several physicians have been called into consultation.

Governor Preuss, Republican, was recently defeated for the United States Senate by Mr. Magnus Johnson, Farmer-Labor candidate, in one of the most important political campaigns of the year.

Queen Of Holland's Birthday Today

QUEEN WILHEMINA

Queen Wilhemina of the Netherlands is celebrating her forty-third birthday today, but the Dutch colony of Shanghai will not celebrate the day—a national holiday in Holland—publicly. Private celebrations will be held while arrangements are going forward for the celebration on September 6 of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Queen Wilhemina's mounting the Throne.

On that occasion the Acting Consul General and Madame Willem Daniels will receive the Chinese and foreign officials and members of the Dutch colony at a reception at the Netherlands Consulate and in the evening a banquet will be given at the Astor House Grill room.

Wilhelmina Helena Pauline Maria of Orange-Nassau was born at the Hague on August 31, 1880. Her father, William III, had three sons by his first wife, but all died before King William, in January, 1879, he married the second daughter of Prince George Victor of Waldeck-Pyrmont, the Queen's mother.

She succeeded to the Throne on November 23, 1890, upon her father's death, but until she was 18 years old on September 6, 1898, the business of the state was carried on under the regency of the Queen-Mother in accordance with a law made in 1884.

On February 7, 1901 the Queen married Henry Wladimir Albert Ernst, Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. The heiress to the throne is Princess Juliana.

EPWORTH LEAGUE HOLDING MEETING HERE THIS WEEK

Annual Session Of Advisory Council Is Begun

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church is holding the annual meeting of its Advisory Council for China in Shanghai this week. Bishop Birney is presiding at the sessions, which are held each morning and afternoon. The following members of the Council from out of town are attending the meetings: Miss Mabel Nowlin, of Changli; Mr. James Chih, of Kiukiang, and the Rev. Samuel Harrison, of Chinkiang.

Miss Geraldine Townsend, the General Secretary of the Epworth League for China, gave her report at the opening session yesterday. She laid stress on the opportunity for work among the young people at the present time, and reported on the work of the Epworth Leagues which she has visited in various parts of China during the past year. She also raised the question as to whether or not there might be appointed a Board of Religious Education which could manage all work for young people which is now cared for by the Sunday Schools and the Epworth League.

McKELLAR IN MOSCOW

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, Aug. 29.—The presence of the American Senator, McKellar, in Moscow is said to be connected with negotiations for importing American cotton into Russia.

Shantung Tuchun Talks On Lincheng Responsibilities; Says Demands Are Unfair

Outstanding Figure In Bandit Episode Gives First Interview To China Press Man; Says Has Wished To Retire, But Objects To Diplomatic Pressure

BY JABIN HSU
(Staff Correspondence)

Tsinanfu, August 28.—The rejection of the Versailles Treaty placed Shantung on the front page of newspapers in every country of the world. From then until the Washington Conference, Shantung appeared to be the fair maiden wronged by an alien intruder and enjoyed the sympathy of the public. But matters changed when on the night of May 6 a score of foreigners, were captured while being lulled to rest in the province's very bosom. Since then, she has appeared as the criminal before a world court of justice.

While her case is being freebly defended by the Waichiaopu at Peking, nothing has yet been published from the man who holds the highest military power in Shantung, Tuchun Tien Chung-yu. Tien, I understood, has never granted any interview with any newspaper correspondents in the course of his six years of service with the Tuchunate.

Realising the value of a statement from General Tien on the Lincheng demands made by the Diplomatic Corps on China, I stopped over here for the day on my way back from Peking and called on him. I was not disappointed either, for no sooner had I presented my card than his A.D.C. came out and assured me that the Tuchun would be pleased to see me.

A man of about fifty, simply dressed and wearing an impressive looking beard, General Tien resembled much in conversation and gesticulation ex-Premier Tang Shao-yi. With a low and distinct voice, he started with an apology that I should be kept waiting on him on account of a matter for which he had been so publicly blamed.

PROCLAIMS NEUTRALITY

"You might say I am an official of the old type and am somewhat out of touch with the dynamic forces of the modern world of material civilisation," commenced the Tuchun, good humoredly. "I have been a military officer in Shantung for 13 years and save the few months I spent in my home in Shanhaikwan, I have never been away from my position, toiling day and night without blowing my own trumpet or advertising my deeds.

"Other tuchuns play politics to elevate their position and fatten their pockets. I have always maintained neutral in politics. You remember how strictly Shantung observed her neutrality both during the Chihli-Anfu fight and the Chihli-Fengtien war. Other tuchuns have their names in big type because they advocated disarmament, but Shantung has, under my administration, actually reduced her forces from four divisions and 11 brigades to one division and 11 brigades. These facts speak for themselves. I have never advertised them."

After giving a graphic description in chronological order of the details of the incident at Lincheng Tuchun Tien deliberated with me over the question of responsibility in a most scholarly manner. Quoting ancient Chinese law and the Ta Ching Code the Shantung Chief argued that the railway guards, the Defense Commissioner at Yenchow and the three magistrates through whose territory the bandits marched, were directly responsible, while the Cabinet, the Ministry of Communications, himself and the Civil Governor of Shantung were indirectly responsible, he and the other high executives being only responsible in a supervising capacity.

NO HEAD TO GUARDS

"But the railway guards were with out a head when the outbreak took place," he said. "On the day before the incident, the Chief of the Guards was celebrating his birthday in Tientsin and all the commanding officers went up to participate in the revelry. Only few guards were in the train. After the raid, they began to flee, but without knowing the whereabouts of the bandits, they headed for the wrong direction and two of them were captured.

"As to the magistrates, they were all newly appointed. One had been in office for five days. A second about fifteen days and the third, one month. Matters would have been different perhaps if the civil authorities had not made these untimely changes and had not withdrawn the one hundred volunteers originally stationed in Tengshien, a mile from the scene of the outrage. It must be remembered that I have no control, except in a supervising capacity, over the guards and the volunteers. Bandit suppression is the work of the civil authorities, although they come and borrow troops from me in time of necessity."

WANTS TO RETIRE

Asked what he thought of the demand made by the Envoys in Peking for his dismissal, Tuchun Tien affirmed that he had long desired to retire. Eighteen months ago he was both Military and Civil Governor of Shantung and offered to resign from both positions, but

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GOV. PINCHOT STILL HOPES FOR STRIKE SETTLEMENT

Coal Mediator Confers With Operators

MINERS FIRM

Eleven Governors Discuss Rationing Problem

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Harrisburg, Pa. Aug. 30.—Governor Gifford Pinchot of Pennsylvania, who was appointed mediator in the threatened anthracite coal strike, conferred with the representatives of the operators today. No announcement of the discussions has been made, which leads to the belief that the operators are giving his proposals serious consideration.

Governor Pinchot conferred with the hard coal miner's representatives yesterday but found them unwilling to make any concessions toward averting the strike called for the Eastern states, which includes all the hard coal mines, on September 1.

Hope is still held that Governor Pinchot will be able to get the operators and miners together again and by making proposals for arbitration of the dispute over wage increases and working conditions will be able to avert the strike. It is pointed out that since President Harding, the logical leader of the republican party, is dead, Governor Pinchot, already extremely well known and well thought of in the party, as well as throughout the country generally, has an excellent opportunity of winning national fame that will make him a presidential possibility, or probability, if he settles the strike.

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Philadelphia, Aug. 30.—Strike headquarters for the anthracite coal miners, who have called a strike for September 1, were established here today by President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America.

President Lewis, in talking to newspapermen at the opening of the strike headquarters, said that the miners had not yielded an inch in their demands and would stick it out to the last.

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

New York, Aug. 30.—Governors and personal representatives of Governors from eleven states which will be vitally effected in case a coal strike actually occurs the day after tomorrow, are gathering here today to confer with coal distributors concerning rationing of coal in case of a strike. A plan of rationing coal on hand—which is estimated to be a supply for four months—will be worked out so that essential industries will be insured of a supply.

ROME SENDS ULTIMATUM; GREECE MUST BEND KNEES

Drastic Demands Made In Connection With Massacre

HUGE INDEMNITY

Fifty Million Lire Demanded; Athens Balks

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Aug. 29.—On the subject of the massacre of the Italian Mission at Janina, Signor Mussolini, the Premier, has instructed the Italian Minister at Athens to present a Note demanding:

(1) That complete official apologies shall be presented to the Italian Legation in Athens by the Supreme Greek Military Authority.

(2) That a solemn funeral for the victims shall be celebrated in the Catholic Cathedral at Athens and shall be attended by all the Members of the Government.

(3) That honors shall be rendered to the Italian flag by the Hellenic Fleet at the Piraeus to an Italian Naval Division, which will be sent there expressly. The honors must be rendered by salvoes of twenty-one guns from the Hellenic ships, which must fly the Italian flag at their masts during the salvoes.

(4) That a strict enquiry shall be effected within five days at the scene of the massacre in the presence of the Italian Military Attache, Colonel Baron F. Perrone di S. Martino.

(5) That capital punishment shall be inflicted on the guilty.

(6) That an indemnity of 50,000,000 lire shall be paid within five days.

(7) That Military honors shall be rendered to the bodies when being embarked for Italy.

The Note concludes with a request for a reply as early as possible.

A semi-official preamble states that the Government is convinced that the moral responsibility, apart from actual complicity in the massacre, belongs to the Greek Government.

The Italian Government has reached this conviction after examination of the circumstances of the massacre, together with information from various sources, and the persistent campaign of defamation waged by the Greek press against Italy. Consequently, convinced that he is interpreting the indignation of the whole nation, Signor Mussolini has instructed the Italian Minister to present the Note.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 29.—It is learned in London that Signor Mussolini has notified the British and French Governments of the details of the massacre of the Italian Mission, and it is probable, therefore, that the matter will be discussed at the Ambassadors' Conference, which, it is hoped, will form a safety valve.

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, August 29.—With a view to conducting an enquiry in the most systematic manner, a warship is being despatched to Santa Quaranta, near the scene of the massacre, with the Police Commander and two superior officers of the Department of Military Police on Board.

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Aug. 30.—The Italian Minister yesterday evening handed Italy's Note to the Greek Government, which was given twenty-four hours in which to reply. The Premier, M. Gonatas, informed the press that, while some of the Italian demands were unacceptable, some would be agreed to and modification of the others would be requested. The Government replies to the Note today.

German Steamer Reaches Enzeli

(Reuter's Service)

Teheran, Aug. 29.—A German steamer has arrived at Enzeli from Hamburg with a cargo of sugar and haberdashery.

The first post from Europe via Moscow has arrived in Persia.

From Coast To Coast In Single Day

Lieut Maughan

LIEUT. Maughan has failed in two attempts to fly across the United States in a single day because of engine trouble —but with usual Yankee pluck will try again?

TERRIFIC FIRE BREAKS OUT AT A.P.C'S. PLANT

Explosions In Conflagration On Pootung Side Indicate Serious Damage

A very serious fire, the extent of which could not be learned up to time for going to press, broke out last evening at the Asiatic Petroleum Company's Pootung installation, down the river. The Shanghai Fire Floats, with Chief officer Pott of the local Fire Department and his officers, as well as the Customs men on their boat, who raced for the scene as soon as the alarm was given, and not yet returned at a late hour this morning and as it was impossible to approach near to the blaze the full extent of the damage was impossible to ascertain.

The flames were seen from Yangtszepoo Fire Station watch tower at about six o'clock in the evening and shortly thereafter a series of heavy explosions alarmed residents in the Yangtszepoo District, while a fierce glare shot up over the eastern sky.

The alarm was turned in to all stations and upon receipt of word that the A.P.C. plant was affected the Fire Float, with the Chief Officer aboard, set off for the scene, while the Harbor Master telephoned for the Customs Float.

So great was the heat that it is believed the floats were unable to approach within fighting distance until hours later. Apparently the blaze was at first confined to the landing stages, but it progressed with terrific rapidity and there was a long series of explosions, presumably the result of the bursting of drums of gasoline or kerosene along the wharves.

Later, it is stated, a number of burning barges or oil lighters broke loose, or were cut loose, from the shore, and went down the river, a squadron of floating flame. Unauthenticated reports at a late hour had it that these blazing craft had got as far down stream as Changwarpang, the creek settlement near Woosung.

Evidently none of the larger tanks at the installation were affected but it is thought that the damage wrought by the fire will run to a high figure nevertheless.

Wood In Manila After Short Trip

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Manila, Aug. 30.—Governor General Leonard Wood and his party returned to Manila last night from a trip in the Southern islands inspecting government activities.

The Governor-General announced that he would propose to Washington that a tax be made on all c.o.d. packages shipped from the United States for delivery in the Philippines so as to enable the Philippine merchants to meet the competition of mail order catalogue houses.

CHINESE BOY, 6 DAYS ON RAFT, SOLE SURVIVOR OF MYLIE; 65 LOST

Chief Engineer's Body Found In Life Boat; Six Foreigners In Lost Crew; Vessel Loses In Terrible Battle With Wind And Waves Off The Saddles; Boy Says Companions On Raft Went Mad And Jumped Into Sea

A tragedy of the sea more dramatic than any ever spun by Joseph Conrad or William McFee, master story-tellers of sea life, was told yesterday when the s.s. Sinkiang of the Butterfield and Swire line arrived in port with the body of Chief Engineer Arthur Harvey Green of the ill-fated Mylie and one Chinese mess boy—the sole survivor of the crew of six foreigners and 50 Chinese of the boat that went down off the Saddles during the recent typhoon.

The Chief Engineer's body was sighted at sea about 80 miles from the Saddles in a life-boat half-filled with water—and the Chinese boy unconcious and completely exhausted from clinging for his life for six days without food or water—was discovered on a life-raft a few minutes later. Those, and one other deserted life-raft were the mute relics of a catastrophe at sea that took a toll of 65 lives in the wind-lashed waters off the Saddles.

No hope is held out that any other survivors will be picked up, according to Mr. Eric Moller, head of Eric Moller and Company, who also returned to Shanghai yesterday after spending two days searching the seas for wreckage or trace of the Mylie on board the tug St. Dominic.

THE GREAT UNKNOWN

The story of the sinking of the Mylie will perhaps always remain a mystery for the only survivor was not able to see because of the mountainous waves and dark nights. It is presumed, however, that most of the crew, as well as the foreign officers, died when the ship, without warning, dove to the bottom. Some—like the Chinese mess boy and the chief engineer, managed to get in life-boats or on life-rafts, but they too, were all lost. The Chinese boy told of how four of his companions went crazy and jumped overboard, leaving the six days he floated aimlessly around without food or water—others very probably did the same. Others supposedly died of starvation or exhaustion in the life-boats like Chief Engineer Green—unable to make the spark of life burn any longer under the terrible exposure and privations.

The only story of the terrible tragedy is that told by the mess boy now in St. Luke's Hospital, who after being given food and rest on board the Sinkiang, told Captain Charles W. Puckett the fearful tale. It is expected that more details will be gleaned from him today when the inquest over the body of Mr. Green is continued in the British Court.

The Mylie sunk off the South Saddles while en route to Shanghai from Chinwangtao with a cargo of coal for the Kailan Mining Administration, to whom she was under charter.

Just before the center of the storm swept down upon them on the afternoon of Aug. 23, the boy said, something went wrong with the engines. He did not know the precise nature of the difficulty. "Captain stopped and fixed it," he said, and then the maelstrom broke in its full fury.

Huge waves raked the labouring steamer, everything on deck was swept overboard and even the masts bent beneath the strain of the gale, the Chinese boy declared. Time after time the staunch little vessel climbed up a huge comber, to come sliding down the other side at a terrific speed and bury her nose in the next mountain of water all the way up to the bridge. A shock, a shudder, and she would come trembling up again to repeat the same harrowing tactics.

HEADS INTO GALE

Capt. Harry Mays kept the Mylie at full speed into the teeth of the gale after the momentary trouble had been repaired. Even the full force of the engines, however, was beaten into submission by the raging power of the wind and sea, and the Mylie was swept astern at a rapid rate.

Hour after hour the unequal struggle went on and then came the climax, terrible, sudden.

A mammoth wave swept up and broke squarely on the forward well-deck, thundering thousands of tons of green water down upon the wooden hatches, crashed through into the hold and the Mylie began to settle. Panic seized the crew and they rushed aft in a frenzy of fear. Some were lowering the boats, others preparing to slip the life raft overboard, the rest cowering helplessly in the shelter of the hatches, when an huge sea was shipped for poured in a torrent into

SCHURMAN SAYS R'Y PLAN SHOULD BE "SUGGESTION"

U. S. Minister Opposed To "Demanding" Foreign Guards

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 29.—The Diplomatic Corps Railway Police Committee, consisting of the Ministers of the United States, Britain, Belgium, France, Italy, Japan and the Netherlands, met at the Netherlands Legation this morning. No official statement has been issued of the meeting and the utmost reticence is being observed in view of past leakages.

It is understood, however, that the Japanese Minister, acting on instructions from his Government, presented the Japanese modifications to the so-called British scheme. These are in accordance with those mentioned during the Cabinet discussion recently in Tokyo.

It is also reported that Dr. Schurman, the American Minister, gave his views, which are to the effect that the plan should be in the nature of suggestion or advice to the Chinese Government, not in the form of demands.

RECENT CANADIAN IMMIGRANT LAW BRINGS PROTEST

Chinese Consul-General Summoned Home To Report

(Reuter's Service)

Ottawa, Aug. 30.—The Chinese Consul-General in Canada has been summoned home to report on the recent immigration regulations, under which, he asserts, only Chinese students and merchants are admitted into Canada and their wives and families are excluded. The Consul-General regards his recall as a protest against the drastic character of the Canadian laws affecting the admission of Chinese.

Indo-China Company Launches New Ship From Kowloon Yards

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Aug. 30.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s steamer, Suisang, destined for the Hongkong-Manila run, was successfully launched at Kowloon Dock today.

France Has New "Flying Fortress"

(Reuter's Service)

Marseilles, Aug. 29.—"The Flying Fortress" is the description of a new type of all-metal aeroplane, carrying eight ma-Marignan today. Its speed is 140 miles an hour, and it is fitted with four engines, each developing 260 H. P. The test showed that the wings could bear a weight of 30 tons without strain.

No. 1 hole and the Mylie went down by the head.

The surviving Chinese steward found himself on the poop, he said, and as the doomed steamer started on her long plunge to the bottom, he and five Chinese companions succeeded in launching a life raft. For a moment it appeared that they were going to be sucked down in the whirling vortex created by the sinking vessel, but they escaped, only to begin another pitiful struggle for existence.

At first all of those on the life raft were forced to cling on to the planking and such projections as they could find to keep themselves from being washed overboard by the vicious waves, but after what seemed years but was in reality only a few hours, he said, the center of the storm was passed and the sea rapidly abated.

"The Captain's boy, the Chief Officer's boy, the Chief Engineer's boy and the Engineer's stewards were with me," he told Mr. Moller. "We had no water, nothing to eat and the sun beat straight down on us."

BOYS GO MAD

"On the 27th, two of the boys went mad," he continued, "and leaped into the sea. The next day two more followed them. Finally, I alone was left. After that I was unconscious."

Capt. Puckott was bound from Hongkong to Shanghai when he sighted one of the Mylie's battered life boats. It was drawn up alongside and found to contain the crumpled body of Chief Engineer Green. From the Chinese clothing lying in the bottom of the tiny craft it was obvious that he had had some companions when he embarked, while the position of his body, half sprawled across the gunwale of the boat indicated that he had collapsed just after throwing overboard the body of the last of his mates.

It is believed that Chief Engineer Green had only been dead a very short time when his body was picked up. He still was quite white and it is possible that he might have been saved had the Sinkiang arrived a short time before.

A few minutes later the life raft, with a prone figure on it, was sighted by the Sinkiang. That, too was picked up, the boy suddenly coming to life and gesticulating wildly as the ship came alongside.

He was taken aboard and given medical attention, making a remarkable recovery.

Both the life boat and the raft were picked up near Pate Hekok, an isolated group of the Chusan Islands, and well over 100 miles from the spot where the Mylie went down.

SEARCH FRUITLESS

All day long telephone calls have been pouring into the offices of Moller and Company, but the owners have been able to hold out no hope. Mr. Moller himself personally directed an exhaustive search on the Tag St. Dominic, visiting Raffles Island, the Elliott Group, and Morrison, Davis and Ruggles Islands without sighting even a scrap of wreckage. Had there been any debris cast up by the sea it is considered impossible that it could have escaped notice, as these islands are all open and cultivated. A turmoil in the water south of Ruggles Island was noticed, however, and it is believed that this marks the grave of the Mylie. Fishermen in the island villages were able to give no assistance, Mr. Moller said.

Although it is considered highly improbable, it is possible, since the two craft picked up were found to the southward, that some of the crew may have been thrown out on the Chusan Islands, but no reliance is being placed in this theory.

Chief Engineer Green was married and has two children, residing at 30 Paoling Road, Wayside, Shanghai, and Second Engineer J. O. Auld and Third Engineer John Morgan, who formerly was Manager of the Standard Oil Installation here and who had served on vessels of the Robert Dollar Company, both are married and survived by their widows. Chief Officer John R. Hudson, a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society and of the Royal Astronomical Society and a noted Polar explorer, also is believed to have perished, as did the Second Officer, a Russian whose name is unknown.

The Mylie was constructed in Shanghai and was of 3,000 tons. She was 250 feet in length and had a beam of 40 feet. She was considered an extremely staunch vessel. Eric Moller and Company were managing agents for the owners and she was under charter to the Kailan Mining Administration at the time of the tragedy.

The ship was last sighted off the Saddles, evidently in distress, by the B. and S. steamer Chinshow on the night of August 28. The terrific rain which accompanied the typhoon made it impossible for any landmarks to be distinguished even if the vessel was in shape to fight the seas.

Funeral services for Mr. Green will be announced later.

It is requested that any navigator who may cross across traces of the s.s. Mylie which foundered about 4 miles south of the Saddle Island during the typhoon of 24th instant will be good enough to notify Mr. Eric Moller of Messrs. Moller and Co., Shanghai, the representative of the owners of the lost vessel.

The Coast Inspector informs us that he has received a radiotelegram from s.s. "Susana 2" which reads as follows: "29th Susana second passed two floating masses of wood apparently the wreck of a big sampson at ten p.m., Lat. 29.39 N., Long. 122.40."

THE TYPHOON'S TOLL

The men lost when the s.s. Mylie went to the bottom off the Saddles, in addition to the 60 members of the Chinese crew were:

Captain Harry Mays, formerly an officer in the British Navy.

Chief Officer J. R. Hudson, F. R. G. S.

Chief Engineer Arthur Harvey Green.

Second Engineer J. Auld.

Third Engineer J. E. Morgan.

A Russian mate, name unknown.

All lived in Shanghai.

Anti-Saloon League Chief Indicted

William H. Anderson

WILLIAM H. Anderson, of Yonkers, N. Y., New York State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League and the most picturesque character in that organisation, author, perhaps, of more newspaper statements than any living man, has been indicted by a New York Grand Jury on charges of grand larceny in the first degree and forgery. The two indictments charging larceny grow out of a claim for $24,700 which Anderson presented to the League. He has always refused to say for what he spent the money he claimed. The charge of forgery is based on alleged manipulation of the League's books. Anderson, who alleges the charges are the result of a political plot, is backed solidly by the League.

Hupeh Protests Return Of Troops

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—On learning of the proposal of the War Ministry to despatch the 42nd Division to Yochow under the command of General Sun Chuan-fang with the object of assisting General Chow Heng-ti, the Hupeh Provincial Assembly has protested against the return of that division, which had mutinied at Wuchang when under General Wang Chan-yuan.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 29.—The Waichiaopu has wired to the Inspectors-General of Honan and Hupeh asking them to stop levying the taxes on tobacco and cigarettes, which were coming into force on August 26 and September 1 respectively. The Waichiaopu states that such taxes will complicate matters when the Customs conference meets.

Chinese Murdered By Drunken Friend

A Chinese by the name of Yang Kung-sung was murdered in a house in the country off Nangkuo Road Wednesday afternoon, according to information received by the police. The man's body, badly hacked up, was found inside the doorway, but the murder is believed to have been committed in a back room, where the chopper and blood stains were found.

The crime was committed by a hawker named Sung Zoong-ching who lived with the deceased, according to relatives of the victim. And search is being made for this man, who is believed to have attacked his friend while under the influence of drink.

An inquest was began by Assessor Allman and Magistrate Yui yesterday and was adjourned until next Friday after evidence of identification had been given.

Filipino Women Ask Candidate For Senate To Quit

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Manila, Aug. 30.—The League of Filipino Women today passed a resolution calling upon one of the two candidates for Senator from the Fourth Senatorial District, which comprises Manila, to withdraw and make the other the joint candidate of all parties.

The resolution resulted because of a belief that the political campaign on which the election of a successor to Senator Pedro Guevara hinges, is prejudicial to the interests of independence and creates a feeling in the United States that the Filipinos are quarreling among themselves and that there is no definite public opinion favoring independence.

Mayor Ramon Fernandez, who resigned as Mayor of Manila at the same time General Wood's cabinet resigned, is the Nationalista candidate, supported by Senate President Quezon and the Filipino politicos. Judge Juan Sumulong is the candidate of the Democrata party, favorable to General Wood in the political fight.

MARKS AT 32,000,000

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 29.—Marks were quoted today at 32,000,000 to 34,000,000 to the £.

New Zealand To Help Build Base

(Reuter's Service)

Wellington, N. Z., Aug. 29.—The New Zealand estimates include £100,000 as a contribution to the naval base at Singapore.

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JAPANESE CAN RAISE SUNKEN U-BOAT, BELIEF

Cause Of Disaster Still Unknown; Three Divers Missing

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, August 24.—Salvage work in connection with the sunken submarine is being attended with reassuring results, according to reports received from Kobe. The divers have succeeded in attaching strong ropes to the vessel. The next step will be to haul it up from the seabed, for which purpose two steamers will be utilised.

These steamers will be filled with water until they sink to the loading line, and the ropes attached to the submarine will then be made fast to them. The water will thereupon be pumped out of the steamers, and it is hoped by this means—in this way to raise the submarine and tow it to a place where the depth of water will make further salvage work more convenient.

It is expected this operation will be completed by noon today, and that the bodies of those entombed in the submarine will be recovered in the course of the afternoon.

It is reported that three of the divers who went down to the submarine are missing, apparently having been carried away by adverse under currents.

The following has been published by Captain Ujiye, superintending officer of the Navy Department:

"Nothing conclusive can yet be published as to the cause of the disaster, but there is reason to believe that one of the contributory causes was the submergence of the tank, and whether this submergence was caused by damage sustained by the submarine's engines or otherwise, is a question which can only be decided when the vessel has been recovered and investigation made."

The lost submarine was insured with the Mitsubishi Marine Insurance Company for $2,500,000. The company will suffer very little, however, as, according to the company's officials, they have reinsured the submarine with insurance companies in London.

The Kawasaki Dockyard authorities have given a bonus of one hundred yen each to the 100 divers who succeeded in locating and placing ropes round the sunken submarine.

M. P.'s To Be Urged To Return

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—Various political and Parliamentary parties have appointed twenty delegates to go to Shanghai to persuade the Members of Parliament to return. The delegates started today.

Wu To Organise Special Force To Suppress Bandits

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—General Wu Pei-fu has wired to the Government, stating that he desires to organise a special force for the suppression of bandits in the Yangtze Provinces. He proposes to appoint General Chen Tiao-yuan as commander of this force. General Wu Pei-fu states that a railway police force is necessary, but does not strike at the root of the evil. Bandits, he declares, must everywhere be suppressed and not merely prevented from attacking railways.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 29.—Reuter's Agency understands that, owing to the prevalence of bandits in several provinces, the Waichiaopu proposes to the Cabinet that a mandate should be issued directing the military and civil authorities of the different provinces to devise means for their prompt suppression of brigands. Such a mandate would require the authorities to report from time to time to the Government the results of their work. It is thus hoped that brigandage will soon be suppressed so that Chinese and foreigners may live in peace and enjoy security of life and property. It is expected that a mandate to this effect will be issued shortly.

The Waichiaopu proposes to the Cabinet that it shall issue another mandate as soon as possible reaffirming the existing mandate with regard to protection of foreign life and property. This mandate will instruct the provincial authorities to report where foreigners live and travel with a view to affording them protection and, should their negligence result in injury or damage to foreign life or property, the local authorities will be held responsible.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—Bandits on August 24 captured and looted Menghsien. They kidnapped a number of the inhabitants and left for the west. A large number of bandits are reported in the district. Menghsien is only a few miles from Loyang and 30 miles west of the Pekin Syndicate's collieries.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—The Government has despatched Mr. Yuen Chow-yu to Loyang to consult General Wu Pei-fu with regard to the Chinese reply to the Lincheng demands.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—It is unofficially reported that the British Minister yesterday at the meeting of the Diplomatic Corps Railway Committee was asked to draw up another draft, embodying some Japanese modifications to the previous scheme. It is understood that the new draft was discussed today.

Dutch Indies To Protest Preference

(Reuter's Service)

Batavia, August 29.—Dutch Indian trade circles are starting a movement of protest against Imperial preference being made "the main point at the Imperial Economic Conference in October." It is stated here that heavy pressure will be put on the Australian representatives with a view to inducing Australia to give preference to British Indian and Ceylon teas, and it is suggested that as a proposal differential duties should be imposed on Australian products exported to the Dutch Indies, which are important customers for Australian butter, flour and coal.

Says Queensland Can Grow Cotton

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Aug. 29.—The Government's Cotton Adviser has toured Queensland, and reports that the territory is suitable for cotton-growing. He considers a year's rest had been sufficient, encouraging to warrant extension with the promise of profitable crops. Labor, however, presents difficulties. The Adviser recommends mixed farming to include cotton.

Brisbane, Aug. 29.—The Minister of Agriculture has arranged for a small shipment of Queensland cotton to Kobe to test the Japanese market.

U.S. Engineers Fail To Arrive, Angora Worried

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, August 29.—Angora newspapers express surprise that hitherto no news has come from America with regard to the departure of the technical staff to begin work on the Samsun-Sivas Railway, which under the Chester concessions must be begun by October 1.

London, August 29.—A telegram from Reuter's New York correspondent, which probably explains the reasons for the delay in the despatch of the American engineers to start work on the Samsun-Sivas Railway, says the Admiral Chester and his associates recently agreed to arbitration between themselves and the Canadian group interested in the Concessions. According to the New York Evening Post, the arbitrators have decided that the Chester group must accept $200,000 and withdraw all connection with the scheme, but in the event of the Canadian group failing to pay the sum within 30 days, they will forfeit to the Chester group all rights and concessions.

TO LEAD CABINET

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—The Cabinet at a lengthy sitting today appointed Mr. Kao Ling-wei, the Minister of the Interior, leader of Cabinet affairs.

American R'ways In Cuba Hit By Preference Act

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Aug. 29.—A modified censorship is stated to have been enforced in Havana in consequence of the situation which has arisen from the passing by the Cuban House of Representatives of the Railway Consolidation Bill, providing for the elimination of many small American-owned Railways, and requiring all shipments to be made over the National Railways to 25 designated ports. American sugar merchants have filed a protest with the State Department, and have asked the Cuban Government to delay further action until American interests are given an opportunity of presenting their case.

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1910	680,954	6,735,190
1912	1,675,619	16,687,503
1914	2,391,461	23,901,821
1916	3,027,944	25,322,234
1918	4,131,518	34,867,688
1920	5,809,869	46,101,538
1922	7,796,799	51,665,266

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FINE RUMANIAN FOR POSSESSION OF REVOLVER

Charge Of Possessing Ammunition, However, Is Dismissed

J. H. Janko, Rumanian, arrested last week in company with James Crevelling, an American, and charged with being in possession of ammunition and arms, appeared before Assessor Jacobsen and Magistrate Loh at the Mixed Court yesterday when the charge of possessing the ammunition was dismissed but the defendant was fined $15 for being in possession of a Colt's revolver.

Janko and Crevelling were arrested in the latter's motor car on Range Road on August 22 and a package containing 804 rounds of ammunition was found in the car. Later the police searched Janko's home on Range Road and found the revolver and 41 rounds of ammunition.

The accused declared that he had been acquainted with Crevelling since 1916 and that he got into the motor car at the latter's invitation only a few minutes before the police stopped the machine. He was on his way home. Questioned regarding the revolver the accused stated that it was his own and was kept in the house for protection. He said he had seen Sergeant Repas and understood from him that it was not necessary to obtain a Municipal permit so long as the weapon was kept in the house for self-protection.

Mr. J. Em. Lemiere, appearing for the accused, maintained that his client was quite innocent and has not even seen the package containing the ammunition when he got into the car.

Mr. Eardley Maitland, prosecuting, said that the arrest had been made after an informer had told the police that two men would be travelling along Range Road in a motor car containing ammunition. The accused's claim of innocence seemed strange to him in the face of this.

It was put to Janko that he had been engaged in selling arms and ammunition to bandits which he denied, stating that he was a boarding house keeper. Mr. Maitland mentioned that the defendant had been charged with selling opium a couple of years ago and had been handed over to the Chinese authorities together with a Chinese. To this the accused replied that he had been acquitted of the charge.

The Court ordered the confiscation of ammunition charged dismissed and said that a fine of $25 would be imposed for possession of the revolver, which would be confiscated.

Counsel is to be tried in the American Court.

Mosquito Net Case To Be Tried Sept. 17 In British Court

The claim for Tls. 9,238 brought by Fraser and Co. against J. Naylor and Co. was mentioned in the British Supreme Court before Judge Peter Grain yesterday when it was intimated that efforts toward a settlement had failed, and the case was set for trial on September 17.

The claim is for money alleged payable to plaintiffs for money paid by them "for and on behalf of the defendants and at their request" in connection with a shipment of mosquito nets.

Mr. Baddeley appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr. P. W. Goldring for the defendants. The latter maintained that he had a good defense, but mentioned that it would probably be a complicated case. Plaintiffs were suing on an account said to have been opened with the Chartered Bank and defendants said that if plaintiffs proved that they had paid the money to the bank there was a possibility that defendants did owe the money. He added that defendants knew, as a matter of fact, that the money had not been paid the bank.

After some further discussion the case was set for trial and Mr. Baddeley was allowed to amend the writ by the addition of the words "plaintiffs claim damages."

Underwood Is In Presidential Race

Oscar Underwood

UNITED States Senator Oscar Underwood, of Alabama, speaking before a joint session of the Legislature of his State, announced that he is a candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination in 1924.

SENATOR KING TALKS ON TRADE WITH SOVIET

Democratic Leader, Now In Russia, Favors Trade Relations

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, August 24.—Senator King, now visiting Moscow, has had an interview with a representative of the "Pravda".

"I believe in the genius of the Russian people," said he, "and feel profound respect towards Russian literature. I am sure that Russia has a most brilliant future. I belong to those American politicians who are against the theory that Russia must be kept isolated. The isolated Russia is an important factor in the balance of power of the world. The present unsteadiness may eventually lead to war, in which America may be entangled."

Touching on the question of recognition of Soviet Russia, the Senator said: "I have not decided yet this question. I come here specially to become acquainted with the situation. I have no prejudice and endeavor to study the things as they are. My colleagues and myself intend to stay here about six weeks."

"Mr. Gompers," pointed out the "Pravda" representative, "declared in his letter to the "New York Times" that we have prepared here special factories and sham trade unions to be shown to foreigners. Do you believe it?"

"It is sheer nonsense," was the reply. "I go where I like and see whom I like. Of course I am visiting representatives of your Government. I have had conversation with Mr. Chicherin and Mr. Krassin and I am going to see Mr. Kamenev."

At present Mr. King thinks that America can trade with Russia in the absence of recognition. "We have trade relations with Mexico without recognising President Obregon's Government," continued he, "although I admit that recognition is an important impetus to trade. But there are many people in America who are against the recognition of Soviet Russia."

Mr. King does not think that the growing export of corn from Russia will cause unfriendly feelings in America although it is not in her interests. He has seen the Agricultural Exhibition and praise its administration. He thinks that the exhibition shall be prolonged to next year when America certainly will participate in it.

Canada Reverses U.S. Decision As To Rum On Boat

(Reuter's Service)

Toronto, August 29.—In contrast to the decision of the United States Supreme Court, the Canadian Attorney-General has decided that the Cuban cruiser Baron, which is anchored in Lake Ontario, is outside the jurisdiction of the Ontario Temperance Act. The case arose in connection with a charge that Liquor was recently served to guests on board.

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TWO MISSIONARIES ARE MURDERED NEAR MIENCHOW

Rev. Whiteside And Rev. Watt Killed By Szechuen Bandits

The Rev. R. R. Whiteside and the Rev. F. J. Watt of the Church Missionary Society mission at Mienchow, Szechuen were murdered by bandits near Mienchow on August 14, according to information received by the Society's offices yesterday.

Both left Mienchow a week previous to their murder, entering the hilly country in the interior to establish schools and continue their evangelistic work among the Szechuenese.

Information received here is very indefinite but indicates that the two missionaries were suddenly set upon by a band of blood-thirsty brigands and shot in cold blood at close quarters without being given a chance for their lives.

Mrs. Whiteside and Mrs. Watt were at Mienchow and consequently unharmed. Additional details of the murder have been requested by the mission authorities.

Coolidge Adopts Rigid Prohibition Enforcement Policy

(BY UNITED PRESS)

(Special To The China Press)

Washington, Aug. 30.—It is announced that President Calvin Coolidge has adopted an extremely rigid prohibition enforcement policy for the Administration.

He has already requested the Treasury Department, under which the Prohibition Director functions, to wage a relentless war on bootleggers and either wipe them out entirely or reduce them to a minimum.

President Coolidge is said to hold the belief that regardless of people's individual opinions on the question of prohibition the law must be enforced and respected to the letter.

How Hongkong Is Handling Housing

(Continued from Page 1)

for the erection of dwelling houses. The promoters of the Company is Mr. Fred Ellis, a Hongkong financier.

The shortage of houses is so acute in Hongkong that the possibility of the Government there passing emergency legislation is being considered. This legislation will probably take the form of laws restricting the demolition of present buildings until other accommodation is offered.

The shortage is bringing forth many new companies formed with the object of alleviating the distress of the inhabitants. Besides the new company already referred to, another with capital of something over a million dollars has been floated to go into house building on a large scale. This concern has under consideration a project for the building of five hundred four storey houses, tenements, etc., at a cost of from $8,000 to $10,000 each. According to the estimate of one of the promoters an eight percent return on the cost of construction, plus allowances for repairs Crown rents, taxes and sinking fund, works out roughly at less than twenty Hongkong dollars per flat per month a very attractive rental figure, even from the point of view of Shanghailanders.

Soviet To Help Reds In Germany

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, August 29.—It is reported from Moscow that the sentence, "Conditions in Germany are ripe for Communism, which is ready to come into the open early next year," appears in the report of the German Communist leader, Herr Hamer, which was discussed at a special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Communist Internationale today. The Committee decided to grant Herr Hamer's appeal for help.

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DE VALERA WINS AT POLLS IN EIRIN; OTHER RESULTS

President Cosgrave Runs Strong; Mary McSwiney May Be Beaten

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 29.—Mr. De Valera was elected for County Clare with three times the necessary quota.

The large poll of the Ministers is also an outstanding feature of the election results hitherto published. Mr. Cosgrave secured 17,744 votes in Carlow out of a total of 40,190, which is treble the necessary quota. Mr. Kevin O'Higgins secured 20,849 votes in County Dublin out of 57,3[illegible]. Mr. Mulcahy topped the poll in Dublin City.

Dublin, August 30.—The position of the parties at Midnight was as follows:

Government	27
Republicans	2
Farmer's	4
Independent	7
Labor	4

Professor McNeill, the Minister of Education, and Mr. Fitzgerald, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, were elected for County Clare and County Dublin respectively. Mr. Walsh the Postmaster-General topped the poll at Cork City obtaining treble the number of votes cast for Miss Mary McSwiney, whose election is not yet certain. Mr. Gavan Duffy was at the bottom of the poll in County Dublin.

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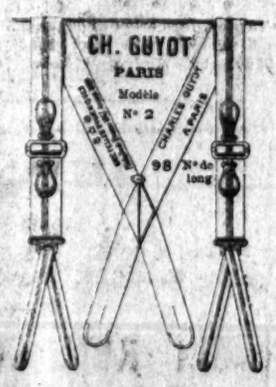

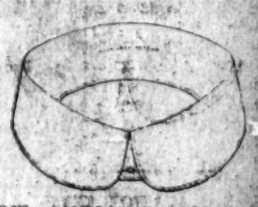

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PORTUGUESE PLAN FLIGHT AROUND WORLD SOON

Intrepid Flyers Expect To Girdle Globe In 11 Days, 16 Hours

Portugal's two most noted aviators, Gago Coutinho and Sacadura Cabral, will make an attempt to fly around the world in 11 days and 16 hours in March, 1924, according to word received in Shanghai yesterday.

Shanghai is on the list of stations at which the fliers will stop for refueling, according to the information received. The complete schedule of their proposed route is as follows:

Lisbon — Argel. Argel — Malta. Malta—Crete. Crete—Aleppo. Aleppo — Bassora. Bassora — Bander Abbas — Karachi. Karachi—Delhi. Delhi—Allahabad. Allahabad — Calcutta. Calcutta — Rangoon. Rangoon—Bangkok. Bangkok — Saigon. Saigon—Turan. Turan—Macao. Macao—Foochow.

Foochow—Shanghai. Shanghai—Nagasaki. Nagasaki — Kobe. Kobe—Yokohama. Yokohama—Akishi. Akishi—Simushir. Simushir—Petropaulovsk. Petropaulovsk—Attu. Attu—Atka. Atka—Dutch Harbour. Dutch Harbour—Kodiak. Kodiak—Sitka. Sitka—Vancouver. Vancouver—Dunmore. Dunmore—Winnipeg. Winnipeg—Sault St. Marie. Sault St. Marie—Quebec. Quebec—Newcastle. Newcastle—St. John. St. John—Fayal. Fayal—Ponta Delgada—Lisbon.

The proposed flight will cover approximately 19,500 maritime miles or 36,100 kilometres, and will be made at the rate of about 70 miles per hour in 280 hours or 11 days and 16 hours.

Gago Coutinho and Sacadura Cabral are of opinion that three machines will be necessary for the flight: the first to be used from Lisbon to Japan, a distance of about 9,900 maritime miles; the second from Japan to Newfoundland, about 7,600 miles, and the third to cover the Atlantic, about 2,000 miles.

The two aviators have invented two very useful instruments: one, a sextant, which bears the name of Gago Coutinho, and the other a "Corrector de derrota" (Course or route amender) which bears the name of "Coutinho-Sacadura."

It will be remembered that, not very long ago, they made a very successful flight from Lisbon to Rio de Janeiro, and were proclaimed "benemeritos" (very worthy, well-deserving) by the Portuguese people.

The news of their forthcoming flight around the world has been received with feelings of gratification, and, no doubt, a very hearty welcome will be extended in China to the two aviators who are the pride of Portugal.

LAST OF OPEN-AIR CONCERTS TO BE TOMORROW NIGHT

The last open-air symphony concert of the season will be given by the Municipal Orchestra at Jessfield Park tomorrow evening. The program, which will begin at 8:15 o'clock, will be as follows:

1. Overture "A Roman carnival" — Berlioz
2. Fantasia "Komarinskaja" — Glinka.
3. The Wand of Youth "(2nd Suite)" — Sir Edw. Elgar.
   (a) March, (b) The Little Bells,
   (c) Moths and Butterflies,
   (d) Fountain Dance,
   (e) The Tame Bear, (f) The Wild Bears
4. Symphonic Poem "The Moldau" — Smetana.
5. Selection from the Opera "Aida" — Verdi.

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Urge Mahomed Ali As New President

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Aug. 29.—The Provincial Committees are recommending Mahomed Ali President of the Indian National Congress.

KHILAFATIST FREE

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, Aug. 29.—The well-known Khilafatist leader, Mahomed Ali, was released from jail at Tanta today. He earned a reduction of his sentence of punishment for political offences by his excellent conduct in jail.

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Key Chains Should Be Barred At Ardsley Country Club

By Bud Fisher

News Brevities

Mr. Paul P. Whitham, president of Asia Development Co., returned yesterday from the Yellow River Dykes after supervising the repair work during the last month.

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Mr. C. S. Liu, formerly Chief of the Railway Department of the Ministry of Communications, arrived in Shanghai yesterday.

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There will be a meeting of the Building Fund Department, American Woman's Club, Monday, September 3, at 10 a.m., to make plans for the coming year's activities. It will be held at 61 Carter Road and it is hoped that new members will attend, and give their suggestions.

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Mr. Yves Cloarec of the Chinese Maritime Customs and Mademoiselle Anette Vaucaire were married in the Roman Catholic Church in the Legation quarter, Peking, on last Monday. They are spending their honeymoon in Peitaiho, but will soon return to France.

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Three Chinese were injured by leaping from the top story of a burning building in the Chinese City early Wednesday morning.

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Hopes for a settlement were expressed in the British Supreme Court yesterday when the claim of Woo Kau-sung for Tls. 6,989.72 against W. and T. E. Poignand, carrying on business as Schiller and Co., was mentioned before Judge Peter Grain. The claim is for money alleged lent, less repayments and salary accrued under agreement. Mr. Tycho Wing, appearing for the plaintiff, said there was a chance the Court might not be troubled with the action as there were hopes for a settlement. The case was therefore adjourned until September 7.

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An inquest was opened yesterday by Assessor Allman and Magistrate Yui over body of a woman named Bank Hwo-szs who stepped off a moving tram-car near the Chekiang Road bridge last Sunday, dying yesterday at Shantung Road Hospital as a result of her injuries. After evidence of indentification had been taken the inquest was adjourned until next Friday.

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Judge Peter Grain of the British Supreme Court returned to Shanghai from Tientsin on the s.s. Shuntien.

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Every boat coming down the river these days is bringing Shanghailanders back home from Summer vacations spent in Kuling. Vacationists are also returning from other resorts and the full tide will soon be setting in.

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Mrs. Mitchell, wife of Lieut. Mitchell, U.S.N., who has been spending the Summer in Chefoo, has returned to Shanghai for a short visit en route to Japan.

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A despatch from Harbin yesterday stated that Mr. Paul Crawley, formerly of Shanghai and well known here, was fined G. $500 by Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China for allowing gambling in his restaurant, the California Cafe. He was charged several weeks ago following a raid by Chinese police and was bound over by the American Consular Court for trial when Judge Lobingier should reach Harbin to open the first session of the United States Court for China in that city.

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Miss Jane Addams, Chicago welfare worker who is completing a tour of the world, left Yokohama on August 23 aboard the President Cleveland.

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The engagement is announced of Miss K. E. Craddock, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Craddock of Shanghai to Mr. B. D. F. Beith of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ld.

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The U. S. tenders Rainbow and Ajax with ten submarines arrived at Woosung from Chefoo yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kurt announce the birth of a daughter at Dr. Fearn's Sanitarium on Friday, August 31.

London Sees No Change In Ruhr

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 29.—Reuter's Agency learns from competent unofficial circles that they are of the opinion that the Belgian Note leaves the position much the same as before the recent exchange of inter-Allied Notes. It is regretted that the Note does not mention the British proposal for an international commission to assess Germany's capacity for payment. It is felt that mere statements of the Allied claims are valueless, and that the whole reparations question must be considered from the point of view of Germany's maximum capacity to pay.

It appears that the Belgian Note, while making a considerable reduction on the schedule of payment of May, 1921, which fixed Germany's liability at 132,000,000,000 gold marks, would still entail the payment of about 50,000,000,000 gold marks, which competent financial circles in Britain regard as impracticable.

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Aug. 29.—The massacre of the Italian Mission to Albania, has profoundly moved the Italian public. Demonstrations of protest have ocurred in Milan, Florence and other cities.

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Canton Notes

In view of the fact that many important bills of the government are now held up pending the sanction of the provincial legislature, which has ceased to function for some time, Governor Liao Chungkai has requested the president of the Provincial Assembly to resume the regular session.

Government appropriation has been turned over to Mr. Cheng Litoh, president of the Assembly, for the Assembly's expenditures. The members of the Assembly have been notified by Mr. Cheng to the effect that the Assembly will soon resume its regular meetings. The date on which the first meeting is to begin will be announced later.

While many people are shy at buying German marks on account of its instability, the native banking houses in the city are doing a brisk business in selling and buying marks. Speculators are hurrying from one banking house to another in their attempt to buy the marks at the present low rate hoping to sell them when the exchange is favorable.

Four monks, one of whom is an old man with long beards and finger nails several inches long, having their temporary residence in one of the small lodging houses in the city were arrested by the police for selling bogus medicine and treating patients without a license.

A search was made of their rooms in the lodging house and many peculiar paraphernalia were found. In the room of the old monk, who is evidently the leader was found a wooden image with joss sticks, candles, and quaint looking yellow papares lying riotously about on the table. The yellow papers were burned before the image and the ashes collected and deposited in a cup of tea which was offered to each patient as a cure for his or her illness. The image is supposed to be the god of medecine and could cure all human ailments.

It is reported that as many as more than a hundred sick people called on these quack doctors daily. Those who were well dressed, were charged a large sum for the treatment of their illness, while those who came in shabby clothes were rejected by saying that their illness was incurable.

Many prominent native of Kiangsu residing in this province will soon proceed to Shanghai to join a Punitive Expedition against the militarists in their own province, who are the tools of Warlord Wu Pei-fu who is over creating disturbances in one province after another. Kiangsu is his next field of operation and its Tuchun, Chi Hsieh-yuen has been urged to wage war on Tuchun Lu Yung-hsiang of Chekiang who is not member of his military clique.

The expedition of the Kiangsu natives is to have Chi Hsieh-yuan and his colleagues driven out of office so as to deliver the province from Wu Pei-fu's military despotism.

At a recent meeting held in Shanghai, General Nu Ti-sang was elected Commander-in-Chief of the punitive expedition against Chi Hsieh-yuan. General Wang Tung-shin, a native of Kiangsu, and a commander of the Constitutionalist Forces now attacking Weichow, has also been requested by the leaders of the expedition to proceed to Shanghai to join the coming military expedition.

Military Funeral Today For Jack Conley, Veteran

A military funeral will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon for Mr. Jack Conley, owner of the Manhattan Bar, who died yesterday in the Victoria Nursing Home after a brief illness.

Mr. Conley was a British subject but served for nine years in the American army, having served in the Spanish-American War in Cuba, and later in the Philippines. A post of the Spanish-American War veterans is in the process of being formed now and all veterans are requested to attend the funeral services this afternoon. The veterans are requested to meet at the cemetery at 3.45 o'clock.

Marine Changes

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company second officer of the Kingsing, Mr. J. Pettendugh, transferred to the Suiwo; Mr. A. Watson appointed second officer of the Kingsing; chief officer of the Taisang, Mr. H. Frost, to the Kungwo; chief officer of the Kungwo, Mr. J. H. Smith, to the Kingwo; supernumerary second officer of the Waishing, Mr. D. C. Lewis, to second officer of the Taisang; supernumerary chief officer of the Waishing, Mr. W. A. Balch, to chief officer; acting chief officer of the Waishing, Mr. A. J. N. Wood, to second officer of the Kungwo; from reserve, Mr. R. E. Laker, to second engineer of the Taksang; second engineer of the Taksang, Mr. C. Ross, on sick leave; second engineer of the Luenho, Mr. M. Turner, to chief engineer of the Loogwo; chief engineer of the Loogwo, Mr. McCreath, on special service at Hankow.

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China Press Sports

IF AN EMPLOYE DOESN'T KNOW HIS PLACE HE NEED NOT EXPECT TO KEEP IT LONG

Ex-Gallopers Lambasted Again By The Millers, Two Homers Thrill Fans

Homesters Outclassed By Philippine Champs In Fifth Game Of Series; Posnecki Weakens In Sixth; Score 9 To 2

By Wells

One of the funny crackers who sat in the sailors' stand at the ball park yesterday asked, after it was all over: "Well, Wells, how are you going to explain that one?"

I'll bite: how are you going to explain it?

About all you can say is that if the once-upon-a-time Gallopers had been able to collect eight more runs to put alongside of the pair they managed to push over they would have given the Lefty Lambasters the trimming of their young lives. The sad truth of the matter, however, is that there was about as much chance for them to collect those additional eight runs as there would be for Herby Gallop to win the hundred yard dash at a jack rabbit track meet. The score was 9 to 2.

The Millers got three runs in the first session, thanks to Jack Smith's excusable muff of a very difficult fly from Borowski's bat, followed by an excusable bobble by Freddy Bills on Birtulpo's drive over second, these excusable but regrettable miscues being followed by two clean hits by Cruz and Montalbo.

MILLERS GET GOING

That gave them a good start and at the same time caused the numerous customers to go into what the spiritualists call a "séance." The "séance" was busted in the next frame, however, when Harry Kingman caught one of Birtulpo's fast ones right in the middle of the bat and for fifty a four base waffle as one would care to look upon. Jerry the Thatch had taken the precaution just previous to this to get on via the bingle route, so that pulled us to within speaking distance and caused Lieutenant Mumford, who was sitting on the bench, to look sternly at Birtulpo and to say to him, in his best Filipinese: "Hey, what thing?"

As showing the brand of discipline that Mumford has instilled into the Millers there wasn't a thing doing for our gang in the scoring department from that time on, thus showing that we should be thankful to the Lieutenant for not speaking real sharply to his erring flinger, for in that case we probably would have had to give back the two runs that Harry and Jerry the Thatcher had earned for us by their noble efforts.

BIG ED ON JOB

Posnecki did the so-called pitching for us in lieu of John Scott, who got out too late. You can't really blame Big Ed for what happened, seeing that he has pitched in nearly every game since the Millers have been here, as a result of which they have got pretty well hep to his delivery. In the seventh, after all the damage had been done Holby sent Ed to centerfield and put Tink Ham in, and all Tink did in the inning he flang was to dispose of the Millers on four pitched balls. Jerry the Thatcher Snatcher snatched the two hot rollers that the first pair of batters sent his way, after which Montalbo got a hit after fouling one. He was immediately caught napping on first by the watchful Tink, however, so you see that it Holby by taken himself out of the strategy box in favor of Old Man Hindsight, who was out there itching for a chance to tell the former Gallopers how to run things the result might have been different.

The Millers had their big inning in the sixth. Borowski, first up, got a base on balls, and when Ylanan doubled the speedy Mike, with a watch-me-and-learn-how-to-gallop look in his legs, galloped home. Platon then flew out, after which Birtulpo, Steraalsi and Montalbo singled in succession. Posnecki then fossed out Cruz, but Dradowski busted one to right, scoring two more. The next man whiffed, but five runs were in and these, added to what they already had, were enough, as you can see for yourself if you are any good at all at arithmetic.

In passing it might be mentioned that Borowski got a homer in the fifth. Jack Smith, who caressed it nearly to the Race Club, will tell you it was a homer, hey Jack?

The box score:

Shanghai	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Taylor, C. L., lf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Thatch, 2b	3	1	1	0	2	0
Bills, ss	3	0	0	1	6	1
Kingman, 1b	3	1	1	9	1	0
Taylor, A. E., cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Smith, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Posnecki, p	3	0	1	1	1	0
Critchley, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Blowland, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	28	2	4	21	12	3

Fort Mills	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Borowski, 1b	3	3	2	7	0	0
Ylanan, 2b	4	1	3	0	0	1
Platon, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Birtulpo, p	4	2	1	0	2	0
Steraalsi, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Montalbo, cf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Cruz, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Dradowski, rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Gallop, ss	3	0	0	1	4	2
Totals	30	9	11	21	7	3

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Shanghai	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	4
Mills Runs	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Fort Mills Hits	3	0	1	0	1	5	1	11
Runs	3	0	0	0	1	5	0	9

Summaries: Struckout by Birtulpo—3, Posnecki—4. Bases on balls Posnecki—1. Home runs—Kingman and Borowski. Triples—Borowski and Posnecki. Doubles—Ylanan. Stolen bases—Dradowski 2, Taylor A. E., Thatch and Ylanan. Sacrifice Hits—Cruz and Platon. Left on bases—Shanghai—5, Fort Mills—3. Umpires—O'Brien and Clapp. Time of game—One hour 20 minutes.

PAPYRUS, DERBY WINNER; TAKES YORK STAKES

Craig Eleyr Finishes First But Is Disqualified By Judges

(Reuter's Service)

York, August 29.—The result of the Duke of York Stakes (one and a quarter miles), run here today, was as follows:

Papyrus (9-12) 1
Concertina (8-6) 2
Tricky Aunt (3-13) 3

Four ran. Craig Eleyr, carrying 8-6, finished first, a short head in front of the St. Leger favourite, Papyrus, with Concertina a head away in the third place, but was disqualified for boring and not keeping a straight course. The race was awarded to Papyrus.

Betting: 85 to 40 Papyrus, 13 to 8 on Concertina, and 20 to 1 Tricky Aunt.

Lawn Bowls

The following have been selected to represent the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club against the Junior Golf Club in the first round of the Mercury Cup competition, on the Recreation Club's greens, on Saturday at 4 p.m.:

D. M. Graham, E. Payne, H. H. Fowler, A. W. McCallum (skip).

C. Carter, F. L. Marshall, Geo. Dunlop, C. W. Porter (skip).

C. P. Dawson, P. Large, P. M. Scott, G. L. Campbell (skip).

C. G. Oakes, J. J. Irvine, J. Munro, J. M. Robertson (skip).

Reserves: D. McDonald, J. W. Burtwell, D. Mennie, A. Jessiman.

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Young Professional Wins British Golf Title

HERE is the first photograph to reach America of Arthur Havers, the 24-year-old professional, who won the British open golf championship, defeating Walter Hagen, the American title holder, by one stroke at the end of 72 holes.

The following have been selected to represent the S.J.G.C.

G. B. Stormes (skip), W. S. Featherstonhaugh, A. E. Hayward and J. Ross.

D. McAllister (skip), N. Harrison, Guy Manwaring and C. Amner.

J. Burnside (skip), J. Ross Young, P. B. Critchley and B. J. Selvey.

A. Braid (skip), C. Richards, W. R. Kinipple and T. Goodman.

Reserves.—E. M. Smith, F. W. Down.

The following have been selected to represent the Shanghai Recreation Club against The Yangtzepoo L. B. Club in the Mercury Cup competition tomorrow:

G. Akerman (skip), A. Eek, F. Jones and J. Keefe.

J. Shaw (skip), R. P. Phillips, C. Thompson and T. Shrivington.

H. Veitch (skip), J. Wheeler, S. Marks and F. Tomlinson.

T. E. Poignand (skip), T. G. Main, B. Anderton and R. Picozzi.

Reserves.—W. J. Ward, E. E. Lever, A. J. Brown and E. Noakes.

Airmen Aloft 37 Hours; New Record

(Reuter's Service)

The airmen, Captain Lowell Smith and Lieut. John Righter, have landed after flying for 37 hours 15 minutes, beating the Macready-Kelly record of 36 hours 5 minutes. The machine made 15 contacts for re-fuelling.

MACHINE GUN CO. BEATS SCOTTISH IN CRICKET GAME

Margin Of Victory Is 44 Runs Match Lasted Two Days

The Machine Gun Company S.V.C. defeated the Shanghai Scottish Company by 44 runs in a two day's match concluding yesterday. The Scottish went in first and were dismissed for 90 runs. G. B. C. McCarthy last man in made a good stand and scored 15, which took him to the top of the list.

Donald Leach, of the Gunners headed the score with 29, while Gunner F. W. S. Evans came second with 23. Gunner G. C. Large was third with a well earned 21. The "Emma Gees" total score was 134.

Scores and analyses were as follows:

SHANGHAI SCOTTISH

A. J. W. Evans, c. and b. Rogerson	1
Cpl. Br. W. Thompson, c. and b. Rawsthorne	7
G. D. Nicholl, b. Rawsthorne	9
R. L. Stewart, b. Rawsthorne	0
C. B. Blackie, c. Baker, b. Rawsthorne	1
T. W. R. Wilson, run out	9
C. Lawson, run out	2
H. G. Burns, b. Rawsthorne	0
T. D. Brotherton, c. Baker, b. Rogerson	3
W. E. Dailey, not out	1
G. B. C. McCarthy, b. Rogerson	15
Extras	22
Total	90

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rawsthorne	10	2	33	4
Rogerson	10	0	42	4

MACHINE GUN COMPANY

B. W. Duthoit, b. Wilson	5
G. C. Large, b. Thomson	21
L. Goldman, b. Thomson	7
F. W. S. Evans, b. Thomson	23
E. C. Baker, c. and b. Thomson	0
H. Rogerson, c. Wilson, b. Evans	9
A. E. Green, st. Nicholl, b. Evans	2
T. L. Rawsthorne, st. Nicholl, b. Evans	7
D. W. Leach, l.b.w. Wilson	29
E. R. Duckitt, not out	15
A. W. Hayward, b. Wilson	1
Extras	15
Total	134

Bowling Analysis

	O	M	R	W
Thomson	13	1	34	4
Wilson	10	1	49	3
A. J. W. Evans	4	0	33	3
McCarthy	1	0	33	0

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600 GATHER FOR FINE PROGRAM AT THE CRICKET CLUB

A very delightful entertainment was that offered at the Shanghai Cricket Club last evening, when some 600 people gathered on the brilliantly and colorfully lighted ground before the pavilion.

The program began with Mr. W. G. Cameron performing in his usual excellent style at the piano. The song "To Phyllida" by Mr. H. E. Muriel proved a delightful second item and Mrs. Muriel followed with a fine rendition of "Yonder." M. G. F. Dumbarton was excellent in two songs—"Far Off I Hear a Lover's Lute" and "From the Land of the Sky Blue Waters." Mrs. E. S. Jones sang "The Lass With the Delicate Air" with fine effect. Mr. J. H. Kortright contributed an amusing Ventriloquial sketch and Mr. H. Gobel a much appreciated violin solo. Mr. W. J. Dexter proved an excellent accompanist.

The second half of the program was devoted to topical and comedy motion pictures produced by the B.A.T., which went very well after some lighting difficulties at the start.

Comfortable chairs and tables were strewn about the lawn and the refreshments were all that could be desired.

Dancing followed the entertainment program, lasting until the early hours.

Hopes were expressed that other stunts of the kind may be undertaken this season by the Cricket Club.

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NEW N.Y.K. SHIP SOON TO GO ON EUROPEAN RUN

Hakusan Maru, 10,000-Tonner To Replace Kitano Maru

A notable improvement will be made on the N.Y.K. Japan-Europe Line when the new liner, Hakusan Maru will be put on the service, replacing the smaller Kitano Maru, scheduled to sail from Yokohama on Oct. 11.

The Hakusan Maru, which is now being fitted for the service of the Mitsubishi Dockyard and Engine Works, Nagasaki, is the fourth of the "H" class passenger liners and is a sister ship to the Hakusan Maru, Haruna Maru and Hakozaki Maru already on the line. She is 516 feet long, 62 feet wide, 37 feet deep and of 20,423 tons gross and 18,850 displacement. Her propelling machinery consists of two sets of Parson's turbines of the latest type with double reduction gear, which enables her to maintain a speed of 16 knots.

The Hakusan Maru can carry 116 first class, 55 second class, 22 intermediate class and 102 third class passengers, and is fitted with every modern convenience and comfort.

The first class public rooms include a large dining saloon, a spacious lounge and music room, a writing room, a comfortable smoking room, and a children's room, all of which are conveniently located and nearly furnished. The veranda cafe, which occupies a commanding position abaft, is one of the many attractive features. Great care has been exercised in designing and constructing the second and third class quarters, imported features being the large amount of space, efficient ventilation and lighting and complete sanitary arrangements.

In addition to being a superb passenger liner, the steamer has excellent facilities for handling cargo. Her loading capacity is 11,200 tons' deadweight and 13,500 tons' measurement. The Hakusan Maru is the first and the only liner in Japan to have a gyro compass installed.

The N.Y.K. announces that the steamer Kitano Maru, now on the Japan-Europe line, will be berthed for at least one voyage on the Japan-Australia service in addition to the present three mail steamers, sailing from Yokohama on or about October 16 and arriving at Sydney and Melbourne on November 14 and 19 respectively.

Zamboanga, Thursday Island and Townsville, both outward and homeward voyages, will probably be omitted, but this steamer may call at Shanghai or other ports according as cargo offers.

The Kitano Maru has been very popular among the travelling public as a very fine and comfortable passenger liner.

Ancient Order Of Hibernians Meet In Montreal

THE first annual convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians ever held in Montreal, Can., was a huge success. This photograph shows the National officers of the order and the officials of the Ladies Auxiliary. Front row, left to right: Mrs. Margaret Williams, Richmond, Va., national director; Miss Mary E. Kennedy, treasurer; Mrs. Ellen Ryan Jolly, LL.D., of Rhode Island, chairman of the finance committee; Mrs. Mary Arthur, Minneapolis, National vice-president; Miss C. Harrington, chairman of the committee on Irish history, and Miss Anna Mary Rice, of Indianapolis, youngest member of the Ladies' Auxiliary. In the back row, left to right, are: Patrick Keane, national Canadian vice-president; Patrick O'Donnell, of Chicago, President National American Unity Association, which means Anti-Ku Klux Klan Association, and Judge James E. Deery, of Indianapolis, National President Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Editor Of Dutch Journal Killed In Aero Crash

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 29.—M. Duyzinz, the Dutch airman who was killed at Chipping Ongar, was the editor of the Dutch Automobile Club organ, "Auto," and was completing a course of instruction in flying in England during his holiday.

Japanese Envoy Reaches Moscow

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, August 29.—Mr. Yamasaki, Chairman of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, arrived in Moscow today.

Horn Blowing Cases Raise Novel Question In The Traffic Court

The prosecution of several chauffeurs in the Mixed Court yesterday for alleged unnecessary sounding of their horn along the Bubbling Well Road at night evoked a question of the advisibility of such action from Assessor Whitamore.

"It raises a delicate point," said the Assessor, "what if the man doesn't blow his horn and kills someone and then states at the inquest that he didn't sound his horn because he had been fined for doing so? It is very difficult to make these persons understand that there is a middle course."

Small fines were imposed in the cases referred to.

The Special Traffic branch of the Court had another heavy day yesterday, handling in all some 85 cases. Those presiding were Assessors Whitamore and Allman and Magistrates Yai and Li. Most of the cases were of a minor nature. The highest fine, $20, was imposed upon a chauffeur who failed to appear at last week's session to answer to a charge of reckless driving on Kiangse Road.

JAPANESE ROBBED

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, August 29.—While travelling from Paris to Marseilles, an Osaka businessman, Mr. Reigiro Nishimura was robbed of jewellery valued at 4,000 francs.

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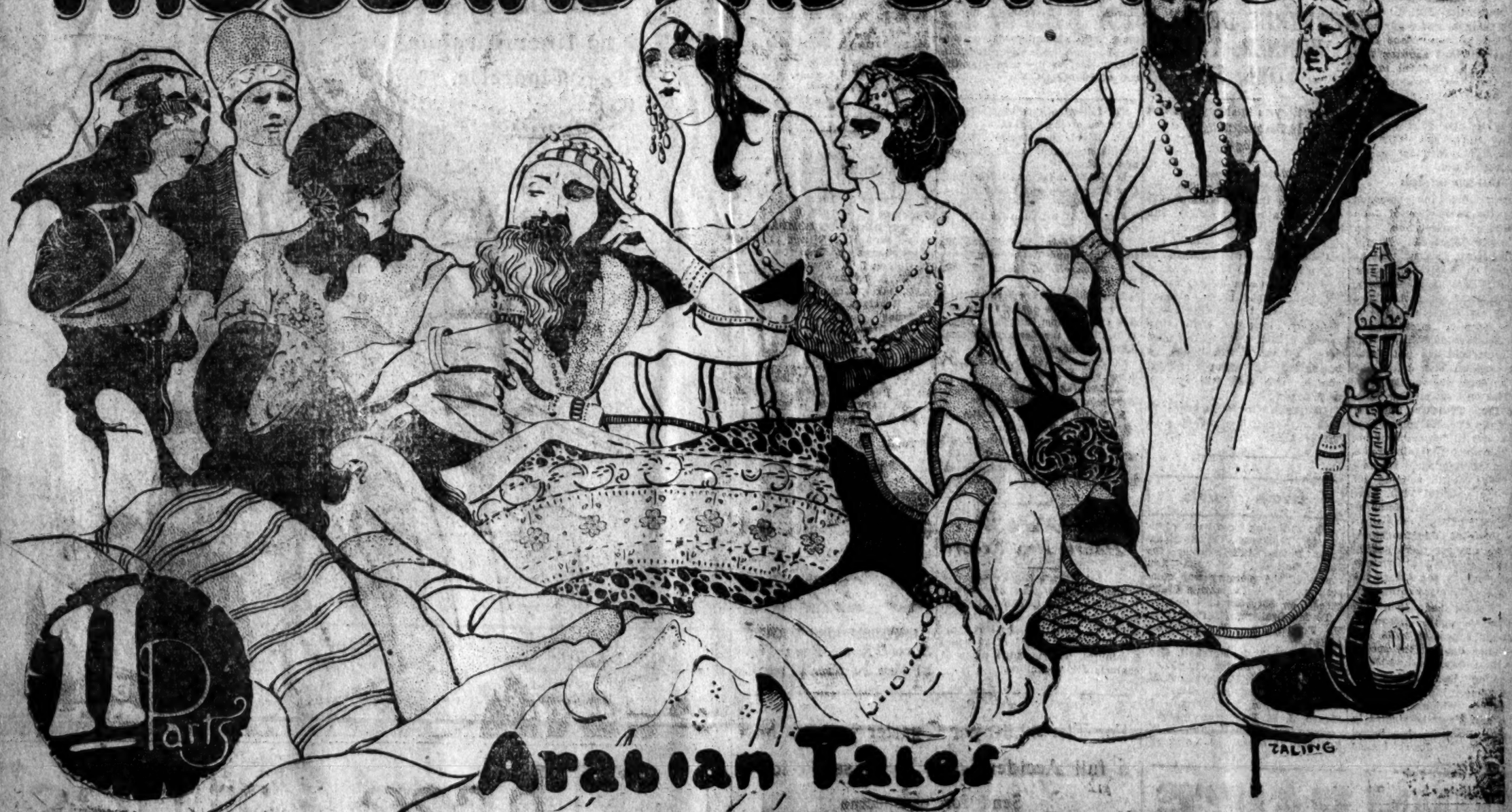

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ARMY CLIQUE IN JAPAN IS LOSING OUT: SAYS TIMES

Appointment Of Yamato Shows Seat Of Power Has Not Moved

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 29.—The Times, in a leading article on Japanese politics, says that the choice of Count Yamamoto to succeed Baron Kato shows how little the real rulers of Japan concern themselves with Parliamentary parties or the clamorgations of the press.

Count Yamamoto's appointment may perhaps indicate that the influence of the Choshu or Army Clan is no longer in the ascendant, since he belongs to the Satsuma or Navy Clan, but it certainly goes to prove that the real seat of power has not moved.

The successive Governments have taken small heed of the clamour of newspapers and politicians for drastic reforms. The inference is that they do not believe national opinion will be behind it. They seem to be satisfied, in spite of symptoms such as the rice riots in 1913, that it remains with themselves, with the men bred in the traditions of the Elder Statesmen and above all with the Throne.

The policy of this school has been eminently cautious and firm. They may have great ambitions, but they know how to keep these in the back-ground. In spite of occasional disquieting manifestations, the general attitude of Japan remains sober, moderate and pacific. Can the position of this school of statesmen continue indefinitely without a change? The decision rests in the hands of the whole Japanese people a power to the West unknown and inarticulate.

M. P's Returning To Peking, Vote On 13th Likely

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—While many of the vernacular newspapers state that the Presidential preliminary election will be held on September 8, it seems more likely that the date, given in Reuter's report yesterday, September 13, will prove correct.

The Tientsin clique has informed Mr. Wu Chih-hsien, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, that they will do their utmost to assist him in carrying out the election.

Up to the present about 30 Members of Parliament have returned from Shanghai.

Mr. Kao Ling-wei, the Minister of the Interior, and Dr. Wellington Koo, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, returned to Peking this morning to attend a Cabinet meeting, which is today discussing the serious financial situation. It is understood that Mr. Chang Hu, the Minister of Finance, is disappointed at the assistance which he has hitherto received. The amount obtained is insignificant in view of the numbers clamouring for back pay.

Upper Yangtzse Vessels May Arm

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 29.—It is reported from Ichang that General Yang Sen's subordinate, General Chao Jung-hua, arrived at Ichang on August 24. It is expected that Wanhsien will shortly be captured by General Chow Hsi-sheng, the Kweichow General. Owing to the continual firing on vessels above Ichang, it is proposed that Chinese and foreign merchant steamers shall be armed. Owing to this firing the Ichang Maru has been unable to reach Chungking and is returning from Wanhsien to Ichang.

Dr O'Hara Heads New Athletic Ass'n

Dr. W. E O'Hara was elected president of the Shanghai Athletic Association at a meeting of members held last evening in the Old Carlton Cafe.

When the meeting was called to order Mr. J. J. Janes was named temporary secretary and Mr. William Van Buskirk temporary chairman. The election of the president was then held and Mr. A. [illegible] Case was elected secretary and treasurer of the Association.

A STOR HOUSE SODA FOUNTAIN PERFECT SERVICE

Shantung Tuchun Talks On Lincheng Responsibilities

TUCHUN TIEN

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the Government only relieved him of the civil duties, for which act he said he was most thankful.

"So you see I am not trying to cling to my position. I shall be only too glad to be relieved of this burden. In fact, I offered to resign a week after the outrage, but was told by the government to remain in my office. The foreigners' object in presenting the demands, no doubt, is to preserve their life and property in China. But I am afraid the results would be reversed if the present demands were actually accepted and carried out. The authorities in Shantung did their utmost to save the lives of the foreigners after their captivity, even at the expense of their honor, by accepting the humiliating terms of Sun Mei-yao. In this connection, we have been condemned by our own people for paying so much attention to the foreigners and so little attention to the Chinese captives. If the foreign powers will make such unreasonable demands on us after we have done so much for their nationals in captivity, I don't see how they can expect further special treatment from the military authorities."

"Again, the demand for my dismissal is based on the stipulations of the treaty concluded after the Boxer Rebellion. We must understand the difference between the Lincheng Affair and the Boxer Rebellion. In the latter case, the government authorities deliberately joined hands with the bandits or boxers to conduct an anti-foreign campaign, while in the present case the authorities did their utmost to effect the early release of the foreigners, although both foreign and Chinese passengers were captured alike."

OBJECTS TO PRESSURE

Tuchun Tien, while emphatic that he did not care for the Shantung post, strongly objected to the pressure being brought to bear upon the Chinese Government by the Diplomatic Corps in Peking as the action constituted, he said, an infringement upon the sovereignty of the nation. He considers that any action taken by foreign powers to jeopardise his position would establish a precedent unknown in international intercourse and would pave the way for unending trouble not only for Chinese but for foreigners having commercial interests in China.

Tuchun Tien's objection is generally endorsed by the other military officers in Shantung, who had circulated a telegram, demanding the total rejection of the demands addressed to the Waichiaopu by the Diplomatic Corps and advocating that if any officials are to be punished on account of the outrage, the punishment should be done by the Government itself and not at the dictates of the foreign envoys.

MONOCACY GOES TO NANCHANFU FOR BRIEF VISIT

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanchangfu, Aug. 24.—Word was received from Hankow on Tuesday evening that the gunboat Monocacy was due to arrive at Nanchang from Chungking either on Tuesday evening or on Wednesday morning.

Just as it was getting dark on Tuesday evening the smoke of the Monocacy was seen in the Channel and half an hour later the gunboat was anchored in the river opposite the railway station. The Harbor authorities paid their accustomed visit the same evening and the Tuh or Provincial Governor sent both Civil and Military representatives on board to welcome Lieut. Commander Oates and his ship to the port.

On Wednesday morning the Governor sent an invitation to the Commander for his reception at the Provincial Yamen at 4 p.m. Accordingly at that hour the Commander accompanied by Lieutenant Connally went in the ship's pinnace to the Chang Kia-men landing where a great concourse of people awaited their arrival. At the jetty a guard of honor with chairs received them and conducted them through gaily decorated streets to the Governor's Residence, where Governor Tsai gave them a hearty welcome. The troops both coming and on their return to the jetty lined the streets and accorded the visitors all military honors, and the Governor detailed a Colonel of his own Staff to wait upon them on their visit.

The same evening Commander Oates invited all the white community to dinner on board the Monocacy, and Dr. Blydenburgh represented the American residents of Nanchang, other guests were the Postal Commissioner, Mr. Mellows, and his Deputy, Mr. John, also Monsieur and Madam Reiss of the Salt Gabelle.

On Thursday morning Commander Oates paid a visit to the Local Chamber of Commerce and was received with similar military honors by the two Directors of the Chamber Mr. Liu the Treasurer and his colleague Mr. Chang. This call was also returned in the evening by Director Liu; Mr. Chang being unable to visit the Monocacy owing to a general meeting of the Chamber that afternoon which was to discuss the settlement of the affairs in the south of the province in the interests of peace.

On Thursday afternoon the Governor sent two of his Staff to the Commander with a handsome present of porcelain, to express his appreciation of the visit of the Monocacy, and expressing the hope that Commander Oates would be able to repeat his visit and on such occasion remain in the port a little longer.

In the evening a farewell dinner was given to Commander Oates and to his staff by the Postal Commissioner at which the European Community were present; the Monocacy steamed out on Friday morning about seven on her return to Hankow.

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British Women's Association Notes

SECTION ACTIVITIES

All the rooms in the new Headquarters, 12 Kiukiang Road, are now ready for occupation and it will be found that everything has been done by the efficient House Committee to make the premises as comfortable and attractive as possible. The Secretary's office on the second floor is very convenient and, apart from the fact that it saves the time and energy required to mount an extra flight of stairs, it gives the Association an additional room which is now being used as a library.

OPEN-AIR CONCERT

The following delightful program, culled from the Gilbert and Sullivan Operas, has been arranged by Mr. W. J. Dexter for the Concert to be held this evening at 9:30 p.m. in the grounds of the Majestic Hotel. Those who had the privilege last winter of listening to the "Pirates of Penzance" program, arranged and conducted by Mr. Dexter, will realise the artistic treat in store for them tonight.

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"Yeoman of the Guard"
Mr. G. F. Dumbarton
"When a wooer goes a-wooing"
"Yeoman of the Guard"
Mrs. Godby, Mrs. Ashley,
Mr. G.F. Dumbarton,
Mr. C. F. Butt.
"When a merry maiden marries"
"Gondoliers"
Mrs. H. E. Muriel
"The Duke of Plaza-Toro"
"Gondoliers"
Mr. G. B. Stormes
"The Merryman and his Maid"
"Yeoman of the Guard"
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Muriel
"God Save The King."

The fee charged for admission will be fifty cents (the proceeds to go towards the B. W. A. Headquarters endowment fund) and cool drinks will be served during the evening by the Majestic Hotel Management.

The very attractive vaudeville and cinema program which had to be abandoned last week, owing to the typhoon, will be given next Friday the seventh of September.

HOSPITAL AID DEPARTMENT

There will be a meeting of this section next Tuesday, September 4 beginning at 9 a.m.

Mrs. Dovey who has returned to Shanghai for this meeting hopes that as many members as possible will come on Tuesday as there is much work to be done in the coming session and the demand for bandages and all hospital requisites is an ever growing one.

SPORT SECTION

B. W. A. Lawn Tennis Tournament.—This tournament will be held on the following dates:

September 8—Ladies Singles; 15th—Ladies Doubles; 22nd—Mixed Doubles.

The entrance fee is $1.00 per head for each event and all members of the B. W. A. are eligible to compete.

Those wishing to do so are asked to send their names in at least three days before each event, either to Mrs. Bichard, 27 Kiachow Road, or Mrs. Ward Hall, 10 Baikal Road.

DONATIONS, CONTRIBUTIONS

The Association wishes to thank Mrs. C. E. Pearson and the Misses Purcell for gifts of illustrated papers and magazines for the hospitals and Mrs. Couling and Mrs. A. Fleming for a number of books for the library.

CHINESE BEHEAD RUSS BANDITS IN MANCHURIA

New Taxes In Harbin—Anti-Russian Propaganda

"An American citizen," writing in the Russian Daily News of Harbin, gives the following account of recent troubles in North Manchuria:—

About a month ago the Chinese guard on the Manchurian side of the Primoria boundary, near Pogranichnaya, captured some bandits among whom were seven Russians whom they promptly beheaded and stuck the heads on poles for exhibition, as usual. This act caused a loud protest from the Red officials on the boundary and the stoppage of through traffic on the Railway for several days.

At the mouth of the Sungari, at Lahasusu, the Red guard boats gave out recently that Russian steamers flying the old Russian flag would not be allowed on the Amur unless they changed their flag for the new red one. The Chinese retaliated by not allowing any red flags on the Sungari and the Red guard boats then prohibited all traffic, both Chinese and Russian, from leaving the Sungari for the Amur.

On account of the above the Chinese closed the boundaries to all export trade, except through traffic via Vladivostok, thereby causing much suffering among native merchants. This means that the unusual high water season on the Sungari is to be wasted as far as traffic is concerned. In addition to the other troubles there are several bands of bandits along the Sungari which have attacked steamers and inflicted considerable loss of life in some cases.

The Governor of Kirin is in Harbin at present and gives out that he will go down the river and exterminate the bandits. As he is reported to have recently hung several prominent agitators against local oppression at Changchun and Kirin, the chances are that he will return with records as having somewhat decreased the local population regardless of whether the victims are the real aggressors or not.

New taxes are the order of the day in Harbin. One of the latest is a tax of fifty cents per bottle on all foreign wines and of twenty-five cents per bottle on local wines and spirits. The C.E.R. formerly had such a tax, but in a much milder form and foreigners refused to pay, and for some time there has been no friction over the matter. Recently the new tax has been enforced and servants have been arrested and jailed when purchasing for their employers, while police are stationed outside foreign shops to arrest anyone carrying away bottles which do not show the necessary tax stamps. Of course the Russians have to pay or be beaten and jailed.

Another new tax is on signs and a gang of police and workmen besieged various shops that have outside display signs and tear them down if the necessary tax is not paid. The proprietress of one foreign shop defended her sign with a revolver and routed the collectors.

A further scheme of raising the wind is the new order that all Russians shall renew their passport every three months. This alone calculated to bring a revenue of at least $400,000.

In the meanwhile several Chinese newspapers in Harbin have been publishing illustrations and articles against Russians and foreigners in general. The general trend has been in the line that now is the time to be revenged on the Russians for the cruel treatment meted out to the Chinese in past times.

Meetings of protest have been staged and petitions of various local bodies have ostensibly been sent in to the officials.

The result is that the local situation is anything but pleasant and as the lower class Chinese cannot distinguish one foreigner from another the chances of a clash at any time are extremely good.

The last move has been the attempt on the part of Mukden to grab the Land Department of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

Figures Of Speech

This is a very old saying, and is believed to have originated in the following occurrence:

The Roman Emperor Hadrian went one day to the public baths in Rome, and saw an old soldier, well known to him, scraping himself with a fragment of pottery, for want of a flesh brush. The emperor sent him a sum of money. The next day, visiting the baths again, the emperor found them crowded with soldiers industriously imitating their comrade—that is, scraping themselves with bits of baked clay.

"Scrape on, gentlemen," said the bluff old soldier, "but you will not scrape acquaintance with me."

The Emperor Hadrian, one of the greatest of the long line, was born in 76 and died in 138. He reigned from 117 until his death.

RAINS AT HONGKONG

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, August 29.—Torrential rains last night and this morning flooded Happy Valley, the roads to which have been rendered impassable. More than 20 Chinese houses at Wongneichong collapsed. It is feared that there are some casualties.

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Special Notice to Mariners
No. 779

China—East Coast

Foochow District—Min River

Kimpai Middle Ground—South Buoy discontinued

NOTICE is hereby given that the South Buoy, Kimpai Middle Ground, Min River, has been discontinued owing to the silting up of the Southern Channel.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs.

T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
Marine Department,
Coast Inspector's Office,
Shanghai, 30th August, 1923.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 3172

FREE CLINIC FOR VENEREAL DISEASES

NOTICE is hereby given that a Free Clinic for the treatment of Venereal Diseases will be opened in the General Hospital on Monday, July 2, and will be available from 5 to 7 p.m. on Mondays and Fridays. The entrance to this Clinic, which is for Foreign seafarers and indigent male Foreigners only, is at the rear of the Hospital in Tiendong Road.

By order,
E. S. B. Rowe,
Acting Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 28, 1923.

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Bidders must be prepared to take possession and pay the purchase price immediately their tenders are accepted.

Tenders should be sent to the undersigned on or before 20th September, 1923.

SETH, MANCELL AND McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edouard VII.
Shanghai, 30th August, 1923.

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NOTICE

Pursuant to the Presidential mandate commissioning me to investigate the industrial conditions in Europe, America and Japan, I shall sail for Marseilles on Sept. 14 for a tour through France, Switzerland, Italy, Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, the United States of America, Canada and Japan.

I would be glad to receive suggestions and recomendations from the agents and branches of the manufacturers, banks and other business houses of these countries, and of their Chambers of Commerce, with respect to the establishments to be visited and other relevant matters. Address all communications to the Office of the High Commissioner to Investigate Industrial Conditions in Europe, America and Japan, 182 Honan Road, City.

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VAN YUEN 萬圓

61533

Belgian Loan, 1923

Notice is hereby given that a new Belgian Loan will be issued at the end of August at 6½% interest, free of any tax and repayable in 20 years.

The bonds will be issued at 485 French francs for 500 French francs nominal value. Applications may be sent to

The Banque Belge Pour L'Etrange
30 The Bund, Shanghai.

61513 S 1

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB

Autumn Training Season, 1923.

The Training Season for the Autumn Race Meeting (5th, 6th 7th and 10th November) will commence on Saturday, 1st September, 1923, when the Training (inner) Course will be reserved for Members only.

The Loong-lei (East Entrance to the Public Recreation Ground will be closed and the Race Club's entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

By Order of the Stewards,
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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8,000 debentures of Tls. 100 each
(issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8,000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

3°.—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1933 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,

P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.

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Business and Official Notices

Chemins de Fer de Letat
Chinese Government Railways.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public that arrangements are now in operation for through booking of passengers, registration of baggage and through conveyance of parcels and miscellaneous traffic between the principal stations on the following railways:—

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Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway.

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PEKING, AUGUST 1923.

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NOTICE

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL

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61335 S. 15

Cercle Sportif Francais

Le Comite invite Messieurs les Entrepreneurs desireux de prendre part a l'adjudication des nouveaux batiments du Cercle a faire connaitre avant le Samedi 1er Septembre, 1923, leurs noms et references au soussigne.

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SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.

L. Jezierski.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914 and October 31st, 1915)
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President: Mr. Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. V. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½% per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings Deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

C. 1941.
Telephone: C. 1946.
C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Kunbex"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.
Foreign Agencies at Tokio Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

Y. KATADA, Manager.
N. F. CHANG Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Haussmann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital paid up ....U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,504,980
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
26 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Madrid
Batavia	Manila
Bombay	Panama
Calcutta	Peking
Canton	Rangoon
Cebu	San Francisco
Colon	Santo Domingo
Dairen	Shanghai
Hankow	Singapore
Harbin	Soerabaya
Hongkong	Tientsin
Kobe	Tokio
Lyons	Yokohama

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager
14 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,780,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 (about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

行號實業工廠 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$800,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7120, Manager's Office.
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

行號銀業 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 5004.

C. MARMONT.
CHIN YS SHU,
General Managers.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang for Kiukiang: Mr. Lochte; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Stucki and child, Mr. Inard.
Per C.N. s.s. Chusan for Newchwang: Miss V. Dewar.
Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen for Ningpo: Messrs. Bower, Fairfield, F. R. Millican Miss Millican.
Per C.M. s.s. Kiangshun for Ngankin: Mrs. C. D. Reid, Mrs. F Gutierrez; for Kiukiang: Mrs. J. H. Reid; for Hankow: Mr. H. Reid Mr. Buecler.
Per I-C. s.s. Luenho for Kiukiang: Master Robt. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Bundy.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6469 C. 6469 C. 6470 General Office. C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hanchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Changtah	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Changchow	Kiukiang	Tainkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up $2,500,000.00
Reserve ... ... $ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$800,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Con. 2650.
Telephone: General Office Con. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—
The kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East; that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

Such a Bank is the
EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organisation—with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

Call at our New York or Shanghai Offices, and let us tell you how we can help you.

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION
37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7844. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 28, 1923.

Butcher's Meat

Beef	per lb.	18-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35

Fish

Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	30-35
Pomfret	"	30-35
Salmon	"	25-30
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	25-30

Game Poultry and Eggs

Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none

行號銀業 Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital	$5,000,000
Paid up Capital	$2,500,000

Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. D. WAI,
Manager
16 Kiangse Road

Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none

Fruit

Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	10-15
Banana	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per doz.	5-6
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	10-15
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	20-30
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	10-12
Pomeloes	"	none
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	10-15
Pineapples	"	10-15
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	8-10

Vegetables

Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Broad Beans	per lb.	13-14
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	3-5
Carrots	"	4-6
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-9
French Beans	"	20-24
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	8-10
Leeks	per bunch	5-8
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$1.80-$2.00
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-9

Grain and Flour

Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.80
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$2.10
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$14.00

Milk

Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25

Fuel

Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
House Coal	"	17.25

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Fraud Hearing To Be Held In American Court

The case of Luis Gonzales Diez, who is charged with a number of frauds by obtaining goods under false pretences, is expected to come up for a preliminary hearing in the United States Court for China before Commissioner N. E. Lurton on Saturday.
Diez was arrested by Sub-Inspector Conduit and Detective Sergeant Schmidt of the International Settlement Police, yesterday, and was taken before the Spanish Consular Court on the assumption that he came under its jurisdiction, but he claimed American citizenship and the case was transferred. The police have been hunting Diez for some time, they say, and have a number of charges against him.

Empire Conference Is Set For October

(French Wireless)
Paris, Aug. 29.—The British Empire Economic Conference, which will be attended by the Ministers of the Dominions, is to be held at London in October.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,120
Chartered	£19½
Kaseo-Asiatic	Rom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$620 B.
North China	Tls. 188
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$27
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$128 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$475 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$125 S.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$37½ B.
"Shell"	67/9
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 79 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20½ B.
Oriental Cons.	12/-
Raub	$4⅝ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$141 S.
Shanghai Dock	¼. 91½
New Eng. Works	Tls. 7 B.
Pref.	Tls. 5.20 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 195xdB.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$158½B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
Sino-French Land	Tls. 121 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 120 B.
Charlton Ltd.	Tls. 58 S.
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.)	Tls. 12 B.
Ewo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Laou-Kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5
Shanghai Cotton	Tls 79
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 20
China Sugar	$217½ B.
Green Island	$28⅝ B.
Laogkats	Tls. 30⅝ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
Pinal Sumatra	Tls. 92½
Stores	
Ball and Holts	$0⅝ B.
Dewelyn	$42½
Jas. Crawford	$102 B.
Koutrie	$55 B.
Matson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$12
Rubbers (local)	
Lims	Tls. 7.35 B.
Kahsoeng	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.85 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3¼ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23 F.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.12½B.
Bute	Tls. 0.85 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1¼ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.17½B.
Chempedak	Tls. 6¾ B.
Chong	Tls. 1.80 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.90 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 12½ B.
Kerau	Tls. 7¾ B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.37½B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.30 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16¼ B.
Padang	Tls. 6¾ B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.30 B.
Permata	Tls. 3¼ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.95 B.
Sockoes	Tls. 1¼ B.
Sembrong	Tls. 1.47½B.
Senawang	Tls. 1¼ B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.70 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4¾ B.
Chas' Malay pref.	Tls. 6.90
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.05 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.55 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 10¼ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¾ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.72½B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.87½B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.55 B.
Tiangbas	Tls. 3.60 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 825
Cathy Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 156 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 39 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 71½ B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

TAXI PHONE WEST 189
FORD HIRE SERVICE
$3 per hr. $1.00 per 20 min.
77 ROUTE VALLON

Money Exchange

Shanghai, August 30, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.05
Native Interest	.07
Copper Cash	249.600
Shanghai Gold Bar	340
Bar Silver	30⅛
Bank rate of Discount	3%
Paris on London	80.10
New York on London	454¾
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/0⅛
Demand	3/0⅝
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	69¾
Demand	69⅞

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0½
London (Demand)	3/0⅝
London 4 m-s	3/0¾
Indian (T.T.)	227¼
France (T.T.)	1220
America (T.T.)	69¼
Hongkong (T.T.)	74¾
Japan (T.T.)	71¼
Batavia (T.T.)	181¾
Straits (T.T.)	77

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/1⅜
London 4 m-s Docs	3/2
London 6 m-s Credits	3/2¼
France 4 m-s	1270
America 4 m-s L/c	71¾
Docs	72¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 70⅝ = Tls. 142.10
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $196.54
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3/1⅝ = Tls. 6.42
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $8.88

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR AUGUST

Hk. Tls. 5.86	@ 3/0⅝		£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 70		Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1183		Fr. 13.18
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —		Mark —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 70¼		Yen 1.59
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 226½		Rupees 2.52
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —		Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50		Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.62		Ital. Lire 17.41

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 69⅝
Demand buying on America 70⅝
Demand selling on London 3/1⅝
Demand buying on London 3/1⅜

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 500,000 .... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

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Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

August 30, 1923

Spot bar silver was up 1-16d. and forward ⅛d. in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 62¼ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 455. Our official Sterling rate here today was raised to 3-0½, the Gold Dollar rate to 69¼, the Yen rate dropped to 71¼ and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market here today in the morning was firm, business in Sterling being done at 3s. 0⅞d. August-September delivery, 3s. 0⅞d. October and 3s. 0⅝d. November-December. Gold Dollars were done at 69⅞.

In the afternoon, however, the market was a shade easier and at the close there were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 0⅞d. August-September, 3s. 0⅝d. October, 3s. 0⅝d. November and 3s. 0⅝d. for December.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 69⅞ for near and forward delivery and of Yen at 70¼. Banks were quoting 3s. 1-17d, 71½ and 1270 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India bought silver in London yesterday and the market there is reported as closing steady. New York report their market as firm.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, August 30, 1923

UNOFFICIAL
F. M. C 6% Debs 1923
Tls. 97.00
Chemors Tls. 1.25 Sept.
Kedahs Tls. 1.40 Sept.
Senawangs Tls. 1.27½
Langkats Comb. Tls. 31.00
Chengs Tls. 1.82½ Oct.
Tls. 1.80 Cash
S'hai Pahangs Tls. 1.07½
Tebongs Tls. 1.60 Sept.
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.90
Langkats Comb. Tls. 31.50 Sept.
Kedahs Tls. 1.45 Dec.

Rubber Prices

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Company have received the following telegram from their Singapore Agents in connection with the auctions held there on August 29:

Average price realised.

No. 1 Smoked Sheet $0.53½ per pound equivalent to 1s. 3¼d. ex warehouse Singapore.

No. 1 Crepe $0.53½ per pound equivalent to 1s. 3¼d. ex warehouse Singapore.

Market firm. Offered 517 tons, Sold 418 tons.

London quotation August 28th, Market firm. Both grades 1s. 4d.

Tramways Return

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramway, foreign Settlement, for the week ended August 29, 1923, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

1923	
Gross receipts	$78,130.02
Loss by currency depreciation	33,582.95
Effective receipts	$44,547.07
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.44
Car miles run	116,617
Passengers carried	2,697,999
1922	
Gross receipts	$69,205.82
Loss by currency depreciation	28,564.46
Effective receipts	$40,641.37
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	43.10
Car miles run	115,681
Passengers carried	2,439,220

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, August 30, 1923
OFFICIAL
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1919
Tls. 155.00
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 31.25
Tls. 31.50 Sept.
Tls. 33.00 Dec.
Trams "B" Tls. 157.50
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.90
Bukits Tls. 1.27½
UNOFFICIAL
Hall & Holtz $6.75
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 31.00
Tls. 31.50 Sept.
Tls. 33.00 Dec.
New Eng. (Pref.) Tls. 5.20
Shanghai Lands Tls. 122.00
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.25
Tls. 7.30 Sept.
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 79.00 Sept.
S. M. C. 5½ Debs. 1914
Tls. 91.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.95 Sept.
Consolidated Tls. 3.00
Kota Bahroes Tls. 1.35
Tebongs Tls. 1.60
Chengs Tls. 1.80
Shanghai Kedah Tls. 1.37½

Exchange Market

In their weekly report on the exchange market, Messrs. Maitland, Fearon and Brand write as follows:

Exchange:—The London price of silver at 30⅞d. is ¼d. lower than last week. The quotation for two months forward delivery is 30⅝d. Our official rate for T/T on London is down ¼d. to 3/0¼d., but the market generally has been on the basis of 3/0½d. and a premium of ⅛d. to ⅜d. above this rate has been available and we close steady with 3/0⅝d. offered for August T/T on London and 1-16d. per month down for forward.

Our stocks of silver are reported as follows:

Sycee and Bar Silver, Tls. 24,875,000 a decrease of Tls. 1,103,000.

Chinese and Mexican Dollars, $38,890,000 an increase of $1,070,000.

Estimated value Tls 52,875,000 as against Tls. 65,080,000 held at this time last year.

French Wireless—News And Views

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 29.—An agreement reached in the matter of the salaries of State workers fixes these salaries to be 530,000 marks per hour.

A despatch from Aix la Chapelle announces that Marshal Hindenbourg and Prince Ruprecht of Bavaria are organising with the assistance of the nationalist and Pan-German associations a patriotic festival on the occasion of the anniversary of Sedan.

The French press remarks on this subject that for the moment Chancellor Stresseman appears not to have rallied the chiefs to his projects of foreign policy.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 29.—A sitting of the Council of the League of Nations will be opened on Thursday.

On Friday the International Conference convoked by the French Government will meet for the suppression of pornographic publications.

The press recalls that this initiative was taken by France since 1910. Great Britain retaking the affair proposed and France convoked at Geneva a new conference under the auspices of the League of Nations.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 29.—The reply of the Belgian Government to the British note has produced throughout Belgium an excellent impression.

Besides brisk satisfaction at seeing the Government recover the assertion of priority for Belgium from the British note great importance is attached to the second part of the document.

The Brussels document shows precisely, as Mussolini and Poincaré do, that in order to come to a solution it is necessary to link the question of debts with the settlement of reparations.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 29.—General Gerraud, Military Governor of Paris, has returned from America where he was warmly received.

FRUIT AND THE CHILDREN
A Word of Warning

Sound ripe fruit is good for children, but damaged or over-ripe fruit is exceedingly dangerous, especially at this time of year, causing diarrhœa, dysentery, colic, indigestion and worms.

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SHANGHAI, AUG. 31, 1923.

WEATHER

Overcast, hot, and variable weather; local thunder. The typhoon will continue N-N-E ward. Cyclonic circulation between the Yellow and the Eastern Seas. Continental depression seems to advance N-E ward across Kiangsi and Chekiang.

Women In Industry

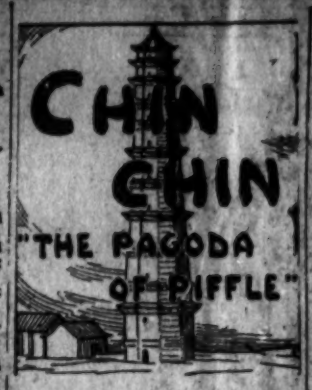
AMONG the interesting facts brought out in recent publications of the United States Census Bureau are those which throw light on the changing position of women in industry. Before the accounting was made it was customary to say that the war had drawn great numbers of women from the home to industry. Undoubtedly it did; but most of them seem to have returned to the home soon after peace came. The census takers could find few traces of them in 1919.

The proportion of women employed as wage earners in manufacturing has not changed since 1899. In that year 88,510 women over 16 years old were employed in factories. They constituted 19.5 percent of the total number of wage earners. As the country grew the absolute number of women in industry increased, but the proportion of wage earners was constant. In 1904 this proportion was still 19.5 percent. By 1914 the proportion was 19.7 percent but in 1919 it was only 19.5 percent. Compared with 1914, the year the war began, there were relatively fewer women employed in factories in 1919 and in 1923 about the same proportion as in 1899.

Yet even though the war made no permanent change in the relative number of women employed in industry, the last few years have witnessed a remarkable improvement in their position. This is to be found in the status of the women employed. They have better jobs and they bear greater responsibility.

In 1909 only 2.2 percent of the salaried officers of industrial corporations were women. Ten years later the figure was 4.1 percent. In 1919 more women, absolutely and relatively, were recorded as proprietors and officials than was the case in 1909, while the increase in superintendents and managers was marked. In the 1909 census only 2,669 women were classified as industrial superintendents and managers. The number in 1919 was 10,306. The largest proportionate increase, however, was among clerks and other salaried subordinates employed. In the ten years there was a 12 percent change in the proportions of men and women employed. In 1909 the women clerks comprised 24.2 percent while in 1919 they were 36.2 percent of the entire number employed.

Counting all classifications, 2,029,016 women and 8,583,720 men were employed in American factories at the latest reckoning. The relative number of women employed showed a slight tendency to grow. But the increase was all at the top. More women were employed in better jobs, while there were not quite so many "wage earners" as in 1914. Woman's status in industry is evidently rising.



The apron idea is all the rage in fashions for the shebas this year, according to Ann Rittenhouse. Not in this village on the banks of the shimmying Whangpoo, Ann.

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The "boys" wear the aprons here, not the girls.

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Pa Jongg sez that he sees by the papers where two Americans were up in the air 37 hours and 15 minutes, and that that's nothing—he's been married to Ma for over thirty years.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Benny Leonard's ability to beat any Christian of his weight has done more to create respect for Jews among Christians than all the great Jewish writers combined. That's our civilization."—Arthur Brisbane.

"The average automobile owner is so enthusiastic about his car that after he buys all the new accessories for it, it's so heavy it won't run."—John Medbury.

"Love defies definition, analysis, logic, conscience and common sense. And yet there are people in this world who say they know all about it."—Laurel Gray.

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Ma Jongg sez Pa thinks he's thrifty just because he wishes now he hadn't signed so many chits last week.

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When the meek inherit the earth they'll come into a lotta things, including the Lincheng demands.

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PETALS

So pass the days—
White petals of a flower kept overlong,
The last, dim echo of an old, old song,
Spring's sweet green leaves that face a gale too strong—
One day on one!
A ritual in some vast cathedral's gloom,
Forever carried on—while shadows loom
And in far corridors the echoes boom.
Infinity
Of days like little handfuls of fine sand
That slip away—though frantically the hand
Be clenched to hoard, with fingers locked and spanned.
So pass the days!
As faces in the multi-masked throng—
As whispered echoes of an old love song—
As petals of a flower kept too long.

TOMTOM.

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"Eat more food containing grease and have more children," says an American doctor in a letter to President Poincare of France. We wondered why the Chinese liked all this greasy chow.

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IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny, who once won a third prize waltzing in Ottumwa, Iowa, sez she seen where 'No' dancing is the fad in Japan now and she thinks that's carrying the blue laws too far.

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Yes, Little Garlic-sz, we have a hunch that the 'Red' prooganda found in the American women's schools is simply some clever rouge advertising.

Larry

The Love Letters Of Sarah Bernhardt

It was daybreak when I retired. I tried to read. I tried to write. I tried to forget about it all. But none of them were possible. Now please remember dear that I have my rights as well as thee. Like all other women that are fools enough to love I have forfeited them—and in thy favor; and I am tolerant and forgiving yet to the extent of being a fool. But I must warn thee that thy imposition may be taken too far. I do not ask thee to promise me anything against thy desire. I do not ask thee to do anything for me, but what thou promisest to do, do, that is all. That is only just. I can amuse myself all on my own resources after some sort of fashion at least when put to the necessity of doing it. Thou knowest very well that that there is no door in all Paris where it is the fashion not to go, which is barred to me. Indeed they are all far too happy to see me. Then why, if though art not coming, dost thou not tell me so—and cause me to decline other invitations and pass my time in solitude. I call this selfishness and conceit, and above all things this is ridiculous with me. Thou hast very little beyond thy youth and beauty which could justify these, and very transient visitors indeed are youth and beauty. The pearls are numbered on Youth's rosary.

PLEADS FOR LETTER

But oh, Peter, surely thou dost not want me to appear ridiculous. At the very least thou couldst have written. Thou must write me now the moment thou receivest this letter. Perhaps thou hast a good reason for doing as thou hast done. If so, tell it me and thou wilst have forgiveness and absolution and I will be sorry for having scolded thee. I love thee, thou knowest, Peter. And oh, God, what a thing it is to love somebody. If one loves half-heartedly, one may have some measure of joy, or at least peace, which is much; but if one loves a person as I love thee there is far more suffering than anything else. If this is ever broken up it will never be again. Nevermore! Nevermore! I am miserable, perhaps, most of the time with thee—but how infinitely more miserable I am away from thee. I want thee all the time. I want to feel the warmth of thee near me. I want to caress thy beautiful hands and bite thy ears and sit in the rosy twilight of my chamber playing with thy hair.

LOVES TO FULLEST

No, love, I can do nothing half-heartedly. I must love to the fullest, and it is to the fullest that one should do all that one does. If I could not love in the extreme I would look for solace in the other extreme and cease to love entirely. And that is exactly what will happen if—— No, I will not finish the sentence. Thou art my perfect Peter, and we will be together tonight, and many more nights, will we not? But I was going to say, isn't it an affliction, more than a blessing, this being in love? Now it is too late for me to profit by measures of precaution. I am fallen already, and the basis of my old philosophy of life is my determination to regret nothing.

CANNOT REGRET

All of my successes, such as they have been and such as they amount to, I owe to no one thing so much as to my absolute incapacity to regret anything. He who regrets his past experiences puts his soul under arrest and takes a heavy mortgage on all his future opportunities. . . . and I do not want to imply that I have anything to regret. I have not. Do not misunderstand me. But had I been truly wise I would have closed the doors of my heart against the whole world. Few are worthy of love, if any. The master (she refers to Oscar Wilde always when she says the master) said that the only persons worthy to be loved were those who thought themselves unworthy to be loved. I would have refused to admit anyone there and would have guarded it against everyone just as if there was nothing but robbers in the whole world. And if they are all unworthy of love and insist upon taking what is not theirs, since they do not merit it, they are robbers. It is more important to guard the heart than to guard one's house. In our house there are but the worldly goods that may be replaced, but in the heart are the raiment and the food of the soul and the things which neither gold nor labor may bring back.

"DO COME TONIGHT"

I am going to ask the man who carries this to wait for thy letter. Do come tonight. A dinner with all the things thou likest will be waiting for thee, as will thy ever devoted SARAH.

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My dear Infant:

When thou receivest this thy Sarah will be on the other side of the channel; I had a telegram today calling me over to arrange several productions there in London during the coming season. I am, as thou knowest, somewhat up against it for money in any substantial sum, and I believe that this offers a solution to my embarrassing problem. If we reach an agreement (and Sarah never disagrees where money is concerned—until after she has received her part of it) and the contract becomes signed, they will pay me something on account, of course, sol-disant for advance to the costumers on my part for clothes essential to the plays. If this goes through, and I have no idea that it will not, I will be able to send thee some within the week. I would be happy if we could take a fortnight's freedom among the woods somewhere; the rest would do us miracles of good before starting off the season. I need thee. I need to have thee all to myself in the quiet. If thou answerest this at once telling thy Sarah what thy plans are she will know what to arrange. I am leaving on the evening train.

GRIEVES FOR WILDE

Every time I go to London I think with pity upon the sad plight of poor Oscar Wilde. I do not feel free there in the streets any longer. If they would send him to prison for two years, Peter dear, what in the world would they do with me if they ever found me out? But now I am faithful to thee, my lover adorable and tall, and I require that thou remainest faithful likewise to me. When we are young we can be faithless and are not, and when we are old we want to be faithless and cannot. That is the difference Between old age any youth.

SARAH WHO LOVES THEE.

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Beloved:

Thy Sarah has just this minute put on her robe de chambre and come to a window that gives on the muddy waters of the Thames; a shaky table is by the window, and on the table is a shaky glass of inferior vermouth and a shaky hand which is moving behind an uninspired pen, as would a willing ploughman behind an unwilling horse. London must be the place where bad people go when they die. The gods seem to have dressed this town up in eternal mourning, and the only sunsets and dawns that they have are in the art galleries. On arriving at the station I went out to do some shopping and have been in the hotel since an hour or two only.

GIVE SPLENDID DINNER

They gave a splendid dinner at Kettner's and I came on here and prepared to write to thee. My presence in town has not been overlooked, exactly, as thou wilst see by the twenty odd cuttings that I enclose herewith. They know me by sight everywhere now, so much have they seen my pictures in the papers. In one of the shops a while ago I was forced to think about the tremendous difference that there is between the French and English middle classes; one of the salesmen, while showing me the things I had asked to see, took the liberty of telling me that he knew it was a great thing to be an actress. (Perhaps he knew what the feeling of being a mother was, too.) He was one of those overmothered, insufficiently wived looking persons, with a lavender-colored handkerchief in his sleeve and about three times more lavender than that in his voice. He reminded me of——; long before he was born his mother vowed he would be called either Georges or Georgette and friends of the family have been wondering for twenty years whether she chose correctly between the names. And the salesman produced a piece of paper and asked me to write my name upon it, all in a tone which was more heavily charged with the elements of a command than with those of a request.

"JUNGLE FRENCH"

His sort of voice would be more appropriately used for sharpening lead pencils than anything else, and the French that he spoke would serve him only in some wild country like the jungles of Africa, where rough, inarticulate noises have a meaning. He took me into his confidence right away. . . . Helene once told me about going into a shop here with her grandmother, who had never been to England before. She spoke just enough English to make herself well understood in ordinary things. The grandmother, who did not understand anything at all walked a little in the rear, looking about and taking in the sights at her ease. In a shop where there were not many people in circulation and in a corner, Helene encountered the proprietor, fat, ingratiating, baldheaded; he was behind the shocking counter with an expression in his eyes that would more appropriately have played about younger faces than his, and when she asked the price of a pair of stockings, in her usual soft voice, he answered, "For you, Mademoiselle, the price will be a kiss." "Very well," she answered him, "you may give me three dozen pairs; grandma (and here she pointed a jeweled finger, indicating the venerable lady behind her in black lace) will pay the bill." This story, which perhaps, is of her making, seems quite in keeping with things here and it does not burden my credulity in the least. Nothing ever does, in fact, burden my credulity, except the believable. The idea of such behavior on the part of the people in the shops! Dost thou not think it abominable? During all the years of my remembrance I have never been approached in this way on the Continent. I was once in a book shop here, too; and the same thing happened. It is very English, I suppose. They come up with the pen full of ink, holding it out with conspicuous certainty in their manner. They do not think that it would be possible to refuse them anything.

WOULD KISS NEGRO

To think that the compliment is all mine; that I should be very thankful to them for accepting the signature. It is all in the way that one asked for a thing. A sweet manner will forgive anything. If a negro asked me to kiss him, in the proper way, I would not be able to refuse him. And our dearest friends may ask as a kindness in such manner as to deprive us of all the pleasure we would have had otherwise in aiding them, and turn pleasure into misery. Once Oscar Wilde gave a dinner to me at the Cafe Royal here. There were about fifteen people present; several of the company and some of his friends here. When the dinner came to its end and the liqueurs and cigars had been consumed, the bill was presented.

Topics In Brief

A twelve-mile limit would only give the rum fleet more sea room to dodge the revenue ships.—New York Tribune.

Barbers predict dollar haircuts, but when they reach that level many of us will refuse to be trimmed.—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

In the big cities automobiles are making traffic conditions easier by gradually reducing the number of pedestrians.—New York Tribune.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

She seemed to be the loveliest
of her sex,
Her hair had just the proper
Titian shade;
I never have discovered arms or
necks
That matched the arms and
neck that she displayed;
Her lungs was like the ripple of a
brook,
Her smile was like the coming
of the dawn;
My heart leaped giddy when she
turned to look;
Within an hour the pleasing
spell was gone.

For thirty minutes I was glad to
think
That she was perfect, as perfection goes;
Her dimpled cheeks were tinged
with healthy pink,
She had a cunning chin, a
faultless nose;
Her eyes had mystic lights and
soulful deeps,
She carried well the dainty
things she wore;
I hope her dreams are pleasant
when she sleeps,
But I'll devote my thought to
her no more.

When I was introduced she did
not fail
To say the China girls usually
say;
We talked along the old, familiar
trail;
I told a joke or two; her laugh
was gay—
We found a corner for ourselves,
and there
But I am one of those who will
not care
If others win the favor of her
smile.

They came and asked her if she
wouldn't sing,
She wondered if I would excuse
her, please;
I'm sorry now I did that foolish
thing,
Her wailing banished all my
ecstasies!
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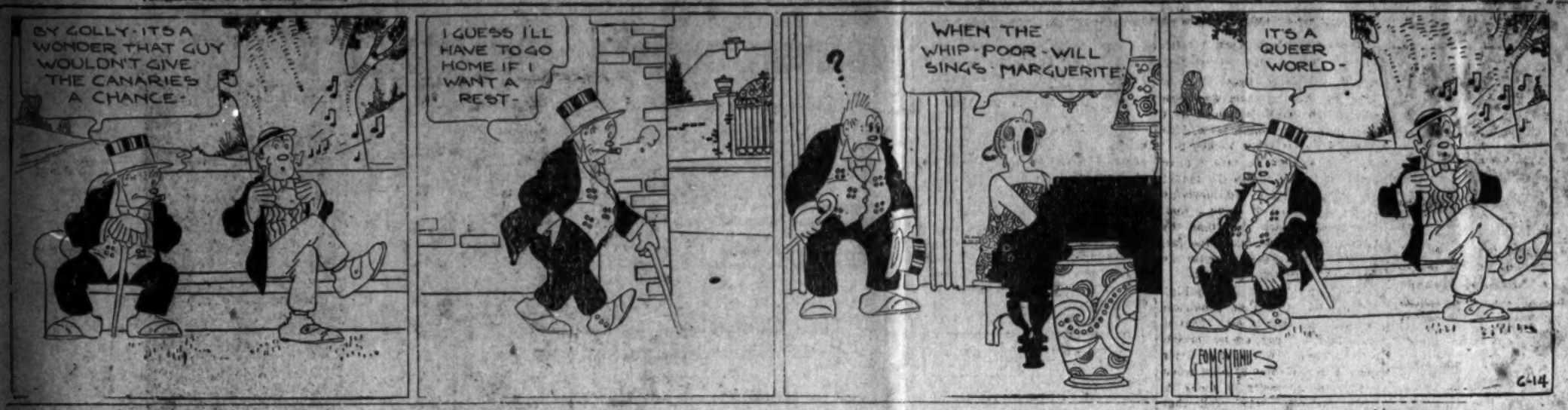
By George McManus



To Meet The Terrors Of Lightning

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

"My wife was once shocked by a lightning-bolt that struck a tree near the house. Ever since she has been very much afraid of lightning. To tranquillise her I placed large glass castor-cups under the four posts of her bed and removed the bed to the centre of the room. I figured that if the house was struck by lightning the bed would be insulated and anyone lying on it would be safe. If this is right, the knowledge of it might be useful to others who are nervous about lightning.—E. P. Islington, Mass."

The arrangement described by this correspondent is theoretically a good one. In the days when deep featherbeds were much more common than they are now—in fact I have not seen one in many a year—people in central New York used to say that safety in a thunderstorm could be insured by getting on such a bed, after first drawing it away from the walls.

In fact when I was a small boy I sometimes sought refuge in that way when one of those terrifying storms, which seemed then to announce the end of the world, broke over the hills and dales where the brawling Schoharie surrenders its tormented waters to the sedate Mohawk, and I recall the sense of security with which I sank deep into the downy mass, which seemed to possess the protective quality of a mother's bosom.

The fact is that the danger from lightning stroke for a person indoors is statistically so slight that the usefulness of any precaution is mainly confined to the confidence and sense of security that it inspires. Even when a house is struck it is very rare that the inmates suffer anything worse than a nervous shock. But, of course, certain common-sense precautions should be taken, notwithstanding the small likelihood that any harm will come. As a terrorizer lightning is beyond rivalry, and it is well to deprive it as much as possible of the moral effect of its insolence.

Shut the windows, remembering that glass is an insulator. Probably the closing of a window would be just as effective if done only with a wooden shutter, but the mind feels the influence of names, and so lightning is doubly baffled when a glass guard is set against it. In the case of the glass castors, of course the protection is more positive, because the only way in which lightning would be likely to reach a bed in the middle of a room would be through the posts, the dry air in the room being itself an insulating agent.

Keep away from metal pipes and conductors, because they furnish the kind of roads that lightning prefers to follow when it can. Don't sit at open windows or stand in open doorways when a thunderstorm is raging close at hand. The chances that you will be struck even in such places are very slight, but yet they are no doubt considerably larger than they would be if you avoided the exposure.

Out of doors the danger is greater, though even there not actually great if we judge it by the percentage statistics of death from lightning. Automobiles are a thousand times more dangerous to human life than lightning bolts. There is something so dreadfully intimidating about lightning that when its searing fork does make a mortal thrust the nerves of a whole community are shocked. Lightning is more apt to strike where a counter charge can easily be accumulated on some prominent, isolated object that may serve as a conductor, like a tall, rain-wet tree. It is wise to keep away from such objects.

Metallic fences, such as are now almost universally employed, appear to furnish favorable routes for lightning currents, as is shown by the statistics of cattle killed when gathered close by barbed wire barriers, which apparently serve as deplying rods for the lightning. If caught out in a thunderstorm keep away from all such places. You would probably be much safer alone in the middle of an open field.

However, no positive rules can be laid down in this matter. They are all based more or less on probability and speculation. One might suppose that automobiles in a thunderstorm would be in relatively considerable danger, but I know of no statistics showing such to be the fact. Motion may prevent accumulation of a charge. Last Summer I rode through two successive mountain storms, and twice the lightning struck within a very few rods of us, so that the air scraped like sandpaper in our ears, but it was trees and not the car that caught the strokes.

Don't blame it on the climate in China if you do not feel as well as you wish to. If you feel physically or mentally tired, it proves that your diet is not properly balanced. Try a cup of OVOMALTINE with or between your meals, get a tin TO-DAY from your chemist or storekeeper.

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A RIGHTEOUS OUTBURST

HE smelled of gin and his whiskers resembled the cylinder of a Swiss music-box.

He walked into a toy shop on Main street yesterday and leaned sorrowfully against the counter.

"Anything today?" asked the proprietor coldly.

He wiped an eye with a dingy red handkerchief and said:

"Nothing at all, thank you. I just came inside to shed a tear. I do not like to obtrude my grief upon the passers-by. I have a little daughter, sir; five years of age, with curly golden hair. Her name is Lillian.

"She says to me this morning: 'Papa, will Santa Claus bring me a red wagon for Christmas?' It completely unmanned me sir, as, alas, I am out of work and penniless. Just think, one little red wagon would bring her happiness, and there are children who have hundreds of red wagons."

"Before you go out," said the proprietor, "which you are going to do in about fifteen seconds, I am willing to inform you that I have a branch store on Trains street, and was around there yesterday. You came in and made the same talk about your little girl, whom you called Daisy, and I gave you a wagon. It seems you don't remember your little girl's name very well."

The man drew himself up with dignity, and started for the door. When nearly there, he turned and said:

"Her name is Lillian Daisy, sir, and the wagon you gave me had a rickety wheel and some of the paint was scratched off the handle. I have a friend who tends bar on Willow street, who is keeping it for me till Christmas, but I will feel a flush of shame on your behalf, sir, when Lillian Daisy sees that old, slab-sided, squeaking, second-hand, left-over - from - last - year's - stock wagon. But, sir, when Lillian Daisy kneels at her little bed at night I shall get her to pray for you, and ask Heaven to have mercy on you. Have you one of your business cards handy, so Lillian Daisy can get your name right in her petitions?"

What Women Wear

BY ANNE RITTENHOUSE

One of the most difficult details in the making of net or lace, chiffon or voile dresses, once upon a time, was to effect a perfect agreement between the net or lace of the skirt and the drop skirt beneath. This was not easy. A frock might start out with perfect agreement, only to hang askew after a wearing or so, often for no other reason than a change in weather or climate. Chiffon and voile have a way of getting limp when the barometer rises and with limpness comes stretching.

Now nobody—that is, nobody that knows—cares whether the over drapery of the frock meets or escapes by inches and inches the line of the slip. In fact, if the slip ends well above the ankles and the over drapery hangs to the instep, so much the better. And this was a line that we once would have thought abominable.

The same thing holds good of the separate skirt that is made of transparent or translucent fabric. Plaited skirts of white crepe have been worn at the Southern resorts ever since the first of the year. They have had a share in creating the demand for lace trimmed and embroidered petticoats. These petticoats have been worn considerably shorter than the sheer plaited frock over them. Sometimes the petticoats have not been considered necessary at all. There is really nothing especially shocking about wearing a plaited white skirt over underwear that does not dissemble the fact that woman as well as man is a biped.

French women always have a decided preference for rather substantial linings for their frocks. They like a dark foundation for the over drapery of light crepe or net. The effect is more distinct and the pattern of the lace or embroidery shows to far better advantage.

The black satin lining of the beige thread lace frock in the sketch shows that the frock must at least have been inspired by a French design. The satin lining is very much shorter than the skirt drapery composed of four flounces of the beige thread lace. The sash, also of black satin, ties in the back and is held in front by a red flower.

A single, rather small, flower at the belt is seen in many new frocks. This vogue will be strengthened, no doubt, as we hear more about the wedding gowns to be worn by the bridesmaids of the future Duchess of York. To symbolise the union of England and Scotland, half the bridesmaids will wear a single hose at the girdle, while those symbolising Scotland will wear a single silver thistle.

Beige thread lace over black satin. Satin sash tied in the back and held in front with red flower.

Once Overs

BY J. J. MNUDY

Perhaps your position allows you to dictate and insist upon certain things, and what you say suits.

must be done as if it were always right.

There never existed a man or woman whose every thought and command was right every time from a Christian or a utilitarian standpoint.

There never lived but one faultless man. No one has the temerity to put himself on an equal footing with Him.

Can you think of a single other man whose judgment you would take above all others?

Then why do you expect your judgment to be taken without question at all times.

You might learn a lot if you would listen to the other fellow for a while.

Why not allow the man opposite you to have free expression at least.

If you set so positively all the time and give no consideration whatever to things which the other fellow says, you are going to get the best out of the man who knows that you hold upon his judgment with scorn.

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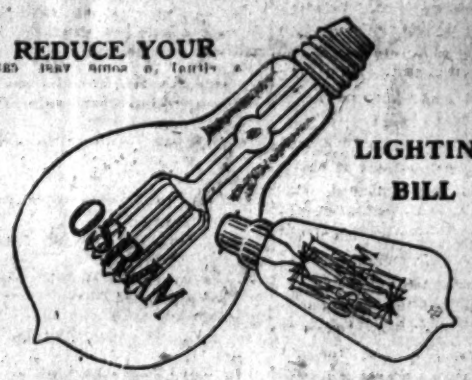

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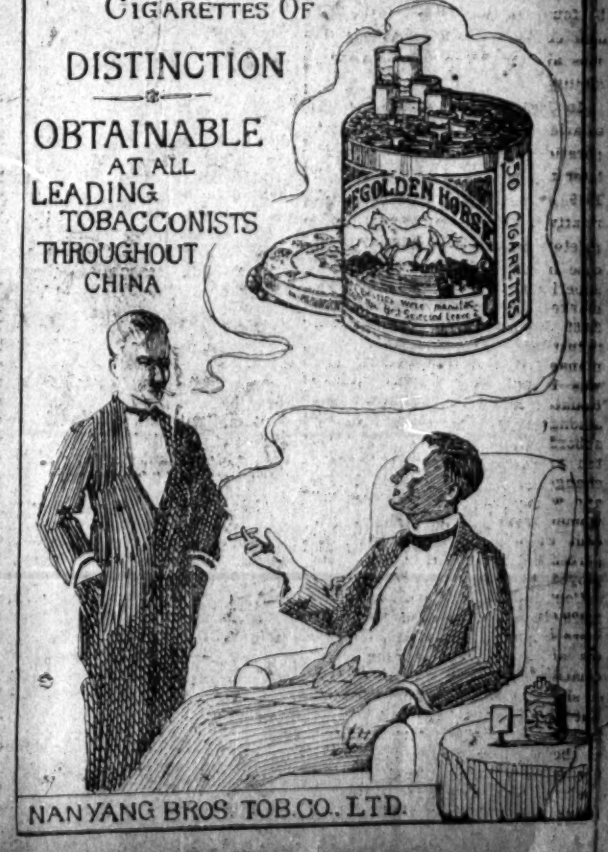

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Whangpu will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I.-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Monday.

The I.C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Swatow on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen is due in Shanghai from Hongkong at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Chipshing left Hongkong for Weihaiwei and Tientsin on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai next Sunday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I.-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The I.-C. s.s. Wosang is due in Shanghai from Antung and Newchwang on Sunday.

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JAPAN PORTS

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The N.Y.K. s.s. Takeshima Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Nagoya next Monday and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki Monday morning, and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The vessel is to sail for the same port at daylight Tuesday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Saturday, August 18, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about Sept. 10.

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow at noon.

EUROPEAN LINES

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Port Said on August 18 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sept. 15.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa is due to leave London today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Agapenor left Singapore on August 24, and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Mesna, from Christiania via ports, left Southampton on August 20, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about October 14.

The S. E. s.s. Canton, from Gothenburg, left Suez on August 9, and is due to arrive in Shanghai on September 5.

The S. E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg, left Antwerp on August 17, and is due in Shanghai about October 5.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala, from London on August 3, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Perseus left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai at daylight this morning.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat arrived in Shanghai from Kobe on Wednesday and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Marseilles at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and passengers should embark at the wharf after 11 a.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia will leave Shanghai for Marseilles and London next Tuesday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 2:30 p.m. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the lighter alongside the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. Monday.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats arrived in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, yesterday, and is to sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on Sunday.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on Aug. 13, was due at Yokohama on Wednesday and arriving in Shanghai via Kobe on Sunday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison, from Seattle on Aug. 19, should arrive at Yokohama yesterday, and is expected in Shanghai next Tuesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley, was due to leave San Francisco yesterday, and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 16.

The S. & B. s.s. West Farlion is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on Tuesday, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Sept. 5.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland next Tuesday, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on September 7.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jena is due in Shanghai from Portland on September 12, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on September 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada, from Vancouver on August 23, is due at Yokohama next Monday, and is expected in Shanghai on September 7.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson, from San Francisco on August 23, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 12.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce which was to sail for San Francisco next Saturday, has been delayed by bad weather at Hongkong. The liner is not expected to arrive in Shanghai from that port next Sunday, and will probably sail on Monday morning.

The S. and B. s.s. West Cactus is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 21, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila on September 25.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi from Hankow: Mrs. A Shainin and child; from Kiukiang: Mrs A. L. Buckley, Mrs. P. Netzo, Mrs. S. E Touken.

Per I-C. s.s. Kungwo from Hankow: Messrs. Twogood, A. Fayles; from Kiukiang: Mrs. K. T. Larsen, Misses MacWilliams, L W. Beckingsale, H. W. Dawson, B. Lipacomb, Renio Longden Annis A. Piper, C S. Rake, Williamson, A. M. McBee, Ruth Longless, Mrs. Grace M. Ranks, Mr. and Mrs C F Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. C Peters and infant, Messrs. Wm. Fog, C. A. Galbot, H. A. Brown.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Messrs. J. P. Huane, G. H. Daniel, C. L. Conrad, Lebedieff, Dr. W. S. New, Mr. and Mrs. Bersani.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien from Tientsin and ports: Mrs. A. Horne, Miss Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Cloes, Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Misses Maitland, Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. Pells, Mrs. Gamble and child, Mrs. J. W. Humphreys, Judge Peter Grain, Messrs. F. J. de Rome, W. R. McBain, A. S. Moss, J. C. Dougherty, S. Fernie, J. L. Beddington, Williams, H. W. Allison, J. E. Needham.

Vessels Due

Agapenor, *Liverpool*	Aug. 31
Ambolse, *Marseilles*	Sep. 2
Canton, *Gothenburg*	Sep. 5
Chekiang, *Tientsin*	Sep. 5
Chungking, *Hankow*	Sep. 6
Elveric, *New York*	Sep. 6
E. of Canada, *Vancouer*	Sep. 7
Esang, *Newchwang*	Sep. 3
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Sep. 7
Fushimi Maru, *Yokohama*	Sep. 6
Gweneth, *Singapore*	Aug. 31
Hakuai Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 2
Hannawa, *Portland*	Sep. 3
Hawaii Maru, *Hongkong*	Sep. 3
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Aug. 31
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Aug. 31
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Sep. 1
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	Sep. 7
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Sept. 1
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Sep. 2
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Sep. 4
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Aug. 31
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Sept. 3
Kertosono, *Rotterdam*	Sep. 3
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 5
Lisbon Maru, *Kobe*	Sep. 5
Loksang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 6
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 6
Matsumoto Maru, *Europe*	Sep. 4
Macedonia, *Yokohama*	Sept. 1
Nagasaki Maru *Nagasaki*	Sep. 6
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 5
Perseus, *Liverpool*	Aug. 31
Pres. Pierce, *Hongkong*	Sep. 2
Pres Lincoln, *S. Francisco*	Sep. 2
Prss. Madison, *Seattle*	Sep. 4
Rosandra, *Singapore*	Sep. 6
Saparoea, *Vladivostok*	Sep. 4
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Sep. 3
Shanghai Maru, *Nagaski*	Sep. 8
Shinyo Maru, *Hongkong*	Sep. 7
Shengking, *Hankow*	Sep. 2
Sicilia, *Bombay*	Sep. 4
Siberia Maru, *S. Francisco*	Sept. 2
Soochow, *Hongkong*	Sep. 5
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Suiwo, *Hankow*	Sept 1
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Sep. 1
Taisang, *Tsingtao*	Sep. 3
Takeshima Maru, *Yokohama*	Sep. 3
Taksang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 1
Tatung, *Hankow*	Sep. 5
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 2
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Sep. 2
Wenchow, *Hankow*	Sept 1
West Faralon, *S. Francisco*	Sept. 1
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Sep. 3
Wosang, *Antung*	Sep. 2
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Aug. 31
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Aug. 30—Woosung for Hankow
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Aug. 30—Hakozaki M. for Japan
Aug. 30—Sunning for A. H. C'ton
Aug. 30—Saikio M. for T. Dairen
Aug. 30—Hakushin M. for T'tao
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Aug. 30-West O'Rowa for P'land
Aug. 30—Patroclus for Europe
Aug. 30—Kohoku M. for Dairen
Aug. 30—Yungshin for Ningpo
Aug. 30-H. K'teen for Ningpo

Weather Report

Remarks on the 29th.—The high pressures are extending over Central China and over northern Japan. The small cyclonic center over the Eastern Sea after having advancing NW ward threatening our coasts, is veering more to the north. Easterly winds over our coasts. Unsteady breezes elsewhere. Cyclonic circulation around the Loochoos. Hot and sultry weather with some lightning in the Valley.

Morning of the 30th.—Overcast weather still sultry. The wind is from E to ENE. Unsteady pressure.

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Khiva	Aug. 4
Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
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Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 18
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Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
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Gleniffer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 15
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Muensterland	Aug. 19
Matsuye Maru	Aug. 29

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Emp. of Asia	Nov. 3	Nov. 1	Emp. of Russia	Apl. 12	Apl. 2
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 19	Dec. 3	Emp. of A'tralia	Apl. 28	May 1
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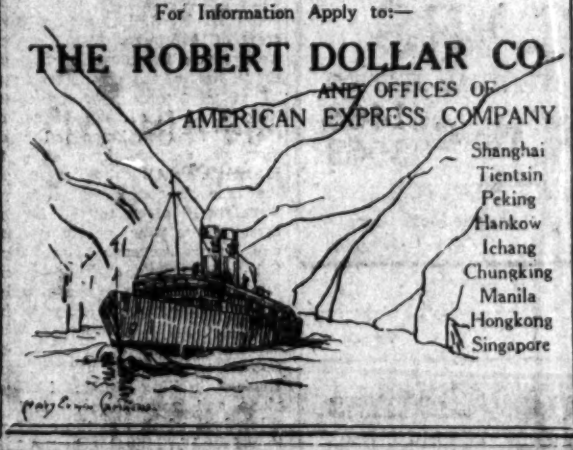

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Aug. 25	— Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 31	— Formosa	Fukuken M.	Jap. O. S. K.
Aug. 31	5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31	5.00 Ningpo	Fsin Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Sep. 1	4.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 1	4.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 1	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 2	— Hongkong, Manila	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 2	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Waishing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sept. 3	— Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sept. 3	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 4	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 5	— Manila	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Sept. 6	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 7	— Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 7	— Hongkong, Manila	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 13	— Hongkong	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sept. 14	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sept. 15	— Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18	— Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 21	— Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep 28	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 30	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Aug. 2	2.00 Antung	Hunan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 4	3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 4	3.00 Newchwang	Changchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 6	— Dairen	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 31	— Chinwangtao	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Aug. 31	2.00 Newchwang	Chusan	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1	D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Sep. 1	2.00 Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1	10.00* W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B.& S.
Sep. 4	6.00* Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 15	— Darren, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co

FOR RIVER PORTS

Aug. 7 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 7 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 1 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S
Sept. 2 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 5 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 5 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.

N. N.—MIDNIGHT D. L.—DAYLIGHT * A.M.
†CARRYING MAIL.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Sep. 2	9 p.m.	P. Pierce	S. Francisco	Sep. 20
Sep. 4	2 p.m.	Hawaii Maru	Seattle	
Sep. 8	4 p.m.	E. of Asia	Vancouver	Sep. 24

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	10 a.m.	Patroclus	Marseilles	Oct. 1
Today	10 a.m.	Paul Lecat	Marseilles	Oct. 4
Sept. 4	12.30 p.m.	Macedonia	Marseilles	Oct. 8

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Newchwang	Today	12.30 p.m.	Chusan
Tientsin	Today	2 p.m.	Kwangping
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Tingsang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 1	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Sep. 1	12.30 p.m.	Sinkiang
Antung	Sep. 2	12.30 p.m.	Hunan
Tsingtao and Dalny	Sep. 3	8 p.m.	Sakaki M.
Newchwang	Sep. 4	1.30 p.m.	Changchow
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 4	1.30 p.m.	Tungchow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	Petroclus
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	Paul Lecat
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Liangchow
Swatow	Sep. 2	9 p.m.	Waishing
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 3	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 3	9 p.m.	Yingchow
Swatow	Sep. 4	9 p.m.	Szechuen

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Kumano Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Sep. 3	8 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Japan ports	Sep. 3	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Sep. 3	1 p.m.	Siberia M.
Japan ports	Sep. 4	8 p.m.	Omi Maru
Japan ports	Sep. 6	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
I C	Aug. 21	Calabria	Ital. Gunboat
M C W	——	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
U S N B	Aug. 21	Despatch	Br. Cruiser
O D W	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 22	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
O D W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gunboat

Meteorological Reports

August 31, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.34
Sun sets today at 18.31

	SICCAWEI August 24.		Augsut 25	
(inches	29.53	29.63	29.65	29.73
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	-0.06	†0.05	†0.23	†0.27
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	†0.11	†0.17	†0.12	-0.10
Wind—direction	NW	WNW	WNW	WNW
Wind—miles per hour	32.3	18.6	17.4	18.6
Temperature (Fahr.)	79°7	75°4	73°2	79°6
Humidity %	77	87	94	82
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	9	4	0	9
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	5.03	0.00	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT
August 25.

	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.51	-0.13	29.78
Temperature (Fahr.) (Min 75°6) (Max. 81°7)	78°6	-3°4	79°2
Rainfall (inches)			

Information For Mariners

FRIDAY, AUG. 31, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 2 and 3 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¾ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 48m.	8ft. 6in.	3h. 5m.	8ft. 7in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
1	52	2	8

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
1.26 p.m.	9.40 a.m.	5h. 36m.	6h. 25m.	4h. 51m.	7h. 10m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 29.71 in.
August 754.9 mm.

Steamers Arrived

Aug. 29—Miyaura M. from Japan
Aug. 29—Niigata M. from H'kow
Aug. 30-Yungshin from Ningpo
Aug. 30-H. K'teen from Ningpo
Aug. 30—Java from H'kong
Aug. 30—Afrika from Europe
Aug. 30—Fukuken M. from D'ren
Aug. 30—Crosskeys from Seattle
Aug. 30—Sinkiang from H'kong
Aug. 30—Amur from C'tao
Aug. 30—Haru M. from C'tao
Aug. 30—Promethean from ....
Aug. 30—Kiangyu from Hankow
Aug. 30—Luenyi from Hankow
Aug. 30—Nagasaki M. from Jap.
Aug. 30—Kungwo from Hankow
Aug. 30—West Keats from P'tland
Aug. 30—Chenglee from Dairen

Launch Services

Tuesday, September 4, 1923
The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. Macedonia, London, will leave the Customs Jetty at 2:30 p.m.

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Comprising:—

Suite white enamel tapestry upholstered drawing room furniture complete 7 pieces, Large tapestry upholstered settee and easy chairs, (Horsehair filling) with white covers, Teak wood silk lined silver cabinet, Teak wood inlaid mantle mirror, Oak wood mantle mirror, Chinese red wood centre table with marble top, Chinese wood curio stand with marble top, Chinese red wood square lamp stand, New Mongolian carpet 9 x 12, German square heating stove kitchen stove, Round dining table, Wooden bedstead with mattresses, Cloth stand, Linen covered couch and arm chairs, Gramophone, Guitar, White enamelled framed looking glass, Smith typewriter, Pathe Gramophone, Embroidered purses, Canton fans, Books, Pictures, Glass ware, Crockery, E. P. Ware, 8 days clock, Chinese curios and sundries Etc., Etc.,

also
1-12 Bore double barrelled shot gun
Best make German binoculars
Silver ware

And At Noon
One pig with a sow and litter of six. A Leghorn cock and two laying hens, also 6 cockerils of this year

IN FRONT SALESROOM

On Tuesday, September 4th 1923,
At 10 a.m.
NEW SUPERIOR AND ARTISTIC HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE AND REQUISITES
Comprising:—

Oak bevelled mirror back hat and umbrella stand, hall table, hall chairs, Jardiniere stands, Teak Mahogany stained silk tapestry seated Drawing Room Suite, Bevelled mirror back Music Cabinet, Escritoire, Silver ware Cabinet with plush lining, Teapoys, Fancy Centre table, 3-fold screen, Morriss Rockers with tapestry cushions, Tapestry upholstered Chesterfield Couch and Arm Chairs, Carved Blackwood Side Table, Tea table, Column stands, stools, Dark stained Rope design Dining Room Suite, Leather upholstered double spring Couch and arm chairs, Teak Flat top desk, desk Chairs, Teak walnut stained Bedroom suite with carved panels rose basket design, Mahogany stained Bedroom Suite fitted with Bevelled mirrors, Wooden Double and Single Bedsteads, Mosquito nets, Good E. P., Cutlery, Crockery & Glass ware, Fine Chinese Porcelains, Ornaments, Silver ware "G. E." Oscillating table fan 200 volts etc.,

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Will sell by public auction
At No 28 Wong Ka Shaw Gardens
On Friday, August 31st 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Comprising:—

HALL, Drawing room, Dining room, Bed room, & Bath room, Teakwood mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Porcelain jardiniere and stand, Coloured pictures, Japanese matting, Brass mounted iron fenders, iron clocks, Silk tapestry covered drawing room suite, in mahogany stained teakwood frames, Centre table, Book case Lady's desk, Teakwood mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, Dining table, Dining chairs, Silver ware cabinet, Tapestry covered double spring couch, E. P. glass & crockery ware, Lace curtains, Double brass bedstead, Mahogany stained bed room suite, with bevelled edge mirrors, Linen cupboard, "Simmons" enamel iron bedstead, Large oakwood mirror door wardrobe, Dressing table, marble top washstand, Electric table lamp, wicker chairs, Porcelain vases & ornaments etc., etc.

and
Pantry and kitchen as usual
Electric light fittings throughout
also
1 Hornless gramophone & record cabinet

On view on Wednesday & Thursday 29th 30th

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Having been favoured with instructions from
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Will sell by Public Auction at a date to be fixed and announced very soon:—
THE STEAM SHIP "VLADIMIR"

Length overall	112'0"
Length B. P.	105'0"
Beam moulded	22'0"
I. H. P. 375	
Depth Moulded	14'6"
Draft (forward) ..	7'9"
Draft (aft)	9'6"
Speed 11.17 knots	

This steamer is very suitable as a tow boat or ferry boat. Further particulars and other information on application to the Auctioneers.

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Will sell by Public Auction within their Salesroom
NO. 40A KIANGSE ROAD
On Friday August 31st 1923,
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—

Mirror back hat and umbrella stand, hall table and settee, teak mahogany stained tapestry covered drawing room furniture, round table, jardiniere stand, curio cabinet, blackwood side table, flower stand, hearth stool, tapestry and leather covered double spring Chesterfield couch and easy chairs, oak mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table, chairs, silver ware cabinet, high screen, oak bevel-edged mirror bedroom furniture, white painted iron "Simmon's" bedsteads, blue drill and cretonne covered double spring couch and easy chairs, cherrywood writing desk, square table, sliding door bookcase, pictures, superior E. P. glass cut glass, & crockery ware, Chinese porcelain & bronze curios, etc.,

also
One fine toned French cottage piano (by Erard)
One Hornless Gramophone with record cabinet combined
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On Saturday, September 1st, 1923
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
A Quantity of Tientsin Carpets & Sundry goods
Comprising:—
33 Pieces fancy Tientsin carpets assorted sizes
SUNDRY GOODS
Assorted paints, washing soaps, cigars, Nail polishers, Elf Sewing instruments, Manicuring sets, a quantity of American sole leather 250 lbs. sundries, etc.

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Another Lady Who Was Scorned

LADY Lillian Maxwell-Willshire, who, in answer to divorce charges filed by her bankrupt baronet husband, has just made revelations of the wild 'goings on' in high society on both sides of the Atlantic that has set New York, London and Paris talking ninety miles an hour. Lady Willshire's husband is now the pet bridle path escort of New York's richest flappers.

Justice Turns Tables; Sends Judge To Jail

Sioux City.—Police Judge Carlos Goltz was sentenced by Justice of the Peace Lackie to five days in the county jail after he had pleaded guilty to violating the city parking law in police court. He announced he would appeal. Justice Lackie, a few moments previously, had been found guilty of a similar offense and sentenced by Judge Goltz to pay a fine of $2, and to study the traffic regulations at police headquarters for two hours.

NEW NAVY Y.M.C.A. HAS SPLENDID SERVICE RECORD

American Sailors "Home" In Shanghai Greatly Appreciated

The new Navy Y. M. C. A., in its two short months of operation, has fully realised the fondest hopes of those who have worked so hard for the materialisation of this splendid naval club. It already fills a long felt want in the community and in a number of ways. Primarily it is a naval club—a Navy Y. M. C. A. for the use of soldiers and sailors. But it is able to fill another need; that of housing decent young civilian men who find here many of the comforts that they were accustomed to at home. All the rooms of the sixth floor are occupied by these young men.

The Community Church holds its Sunday afternoon service in the Navy "Y" gymnasium. The dining room has become popular with civilians. There is a conference hall where any society may hold its meetings. Applications have been made by organisations for the privilege of using the auditorium and dining room and baths. So the Navy Y. M. C. A. is fast becoming a center of social activities for Americans.

Last week several British warships arrived in port, the largest being H. M. S. Despatch with a crew of 400 men. The sailors were given five days' liberty on shore, half of the crew at a time. These men were invited by the Navy Y. M. C. A. to make use of the "Y" for their home and headquarters during their stay in Shanghai. All the privileges that the American sailors enjoy were freely given to the British tars. There was an immediate and hearty response by the British sailors, who engaged rooms for their five days of leave. The large lobby became filled with the English boys, who showed delight in everything there; in the latest magazines, the daily papers, convienient writing desks, library, piano and gramophone. And I think best of all was the comfort they found in lounging in the big, easy chairs and "chinning" with their mates. Surely this was a welcome change to the sailors after a cruise in typhoon seas.

If some of the good people who think that all sailors are wild young devils could drop into the Navy "Y" and mingle with these jolly British boys they would get a different understanding of the sailor. And in the enjoyment of the things provided for his pleasure and entertainment he is expressively appreciative. They were glad to find an English billiard table. The American tables looked interesting so, with instruction by the Fort Mills soldier-baseball boys, who are stopping at the Navy Y. M. C. A. they soon learned the American way of playing and enjoyed the novelty.

Paul Brown, the general secretary and host, gave some interesting statistics. The records of the previous day, which was an average one, showed that 217 sailors had slept in the building. After all the beds were taken, 62 folding cots were provided in the gymnasium for late arrivals. 700 meals were served; 175 shower baths taken; 100 library books drawn; 126 men used the billiard tables; 450 men patronised the soda fountain.

This is quite enough to show the need of such an institution as the Navy Y. M. C. A. in this port; a place so clean and decent and attractive that it will keep the sailor away from the rough resorts of the city.

The same cordial reception will be given the sailors of French and Italian warships when they arrive in port.

The American sailors know that the Navy "Y" is theirs to the limit, so they don't need a special invitation. Within a month 2,000 American sailors are expected in Shanghai and they will make the Navy "Y" a busy and lively place.

BOK PEACE OFFER WINS APPROVAL OF MANY PERSONS

Many echoes of approval have been awakened by the Bok peace prize. Letters of enthusiastic support of the purpose of Edward W. Bok, Philadelphia publicist, in offering $100,000 as a prize for the best peace plan have been received in constantly larger numbers by the American Peace Award Committee at No. 342 Madison Avenue, New York.

Among notable persons from whom letters of commendation have been received by the Policy Committee, headed by Miss Esther Everett Lape, are C. E. Bradfute, President of the American Farm Bureau, and Mrs. James Less Laidlaw, former Suffrage leader, once President of the New York League of Women Voters and now Vice Chairman of the Women's Pro-League Council.

Mr. Bradfute wrote:

"The farmers are, above all, a peace loving people, and nothing would please us better than some method by which we could have a permanent world peace.

"In order to get world peace, some one must first set forth a plan, and it seems to me the plan of offering a prize may get early results as well or better than any other way. I am inclined to think the personnel of the jury of award will have much to do with the success of having the people accept the plan.

"I assure you of our interest in the final outcome."

Of the plan Mrs. Laidlaw wrote:

"This unprecedented award will constitute a University Extension Course in international thinking for the whole United States. It is not only educational; it has picturesque elements that will appeal strongly to the American mind.

"With the co-operation of the press more ideas along these lines will be disseminated than ever before. Already thousands are seizing the daily papers to see what new ideas have been put forth. As the time approaches for the award I believe there will be as much public excitement as attends the winning of a lottery in Spain!

"Not only will contestants be thinking on this subject, but under the stimulus of the award millions will find their thoughts crystallised. Think what this means to the final impulse in our international affairs that must and should ultimately come from the people of this democracy!

"For other millions it will be a clearing house for the best minds.

"Could the President ask anything better than this opportunity to survey the thought of his country for the expression which he asked in so many recent speeches?

"Already one senses a new atmosphere of disinterestedness of non-partisanship and high purpose. The practicality urged by the committee in announcing the award will tend to hold down our ultra-idealists from too much moral aeroplaning, which has been the curse of our international theorists.

"I can actually see an ethical trend involved in this whole idea. Who shall say how far it may yet act upon our national life as related to world responsibilities? Let us hope the spirit of non-partisanship in international affairs will so sweep the country that it will shame those who would make a political football of matters vital to world welfare."

THREE MAIL BOATS FROM STATES DUE HERE NEXT WEEK

Three big trans-Pacific liners with mails from America will arrive in Shanghai during the first week of September, and mail for America will be sent on the President Pierce next Monday.

The Pierce, which was to sail for San Francisco next Saturday has been delayed at Hongkong on account of the inclement weather. The liner is not expected to arrive from that port before Sunday, and will probably sail Monday morning.

The first of the three liners arriving from America will be the President Lincoln, which left from San Francisco and is expected in port next Sunday. It will be followed by the President Madison, usually carrying a heavy mail, from Seattle next Tuesday, and the Empress of Canada, from Vancouver on Friday, September 7. The Siberia Maru of the T. K. K. will also arrive from San Francisco next Sunday.

Following the sailing of the Patroclus yesterday, the next mail for Europe will go on the Paul Lecat today Ordinary mail will close at 10 a.m. today and registered closes at 3 p.m. The Lecat will be dispatched from the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf at one o'clock this afternoon, and passengers are to embark at the wharf after 11 a.m.

Another mail for Europe will be sent on the P. and O. steamer Macedonia next Tuesday. This is the first of the P. and O. vessels that will leave this port on Tuesdays instead of Saturdays as were in former sailings.

The tender conveying passengers to the Macedonia will leave the Customs jetty at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and the baggage should be delivered to the lighter alongside the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. Monday.

Two Blue Funnel liners will arrive from Glasgow and Liverpool today. The Perseus which left Hongkong last Tuesday, is to make port at daybreak, and the Agapenor, sailed from Singapore on August 24, is arriving in the morning.

Saxony Doctors Charge 10 Lbs. Rye-A-Visit

Berlin.—Rye hereafter will be used as the basis for physicians' fees in Borna, a little town in Saxony not far from Leipzig. Pre-war valuations will be used in computing the charges, but whereas rye was really then selling for 10 gold marks a centner, the medical men will reckon it at 25 marks a centner.

A consultation will cost at least 1 mark, or the equivalent of five pounds of rye; a visit will be priced at 2 marks, or ten pounds of rye, and every kilometer the doctor is obliged to travel will cost the patient 50 pfennigs, or [illegible] and a half pounds of rye. The amount of the fees will be converted into paper marks, according to the rye quotations on the Leipzig markets.

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